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Girl Victim of Pathetic Tragedy Miss Katherine Ryan of Lowell

IDENTFY GIRL IN DEATH MYSTERY AS KATY RYAN, LOWELL

Aunt Collapses as She Recognizes Young Woman Whose Strange Fate Has Baffled Officials of Dover, New Hampshire, for Several Days.

BY LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE.

DOVER, N. H., Aug. 28.—The beautiful young woman who was found dead under most mysterious circumstances in the home of Dr. Harry Stackpole in Second street was to-day identified as Katherine Ryan of No. 211 Hale street, Lowell, Mass. She is the daughter of Michael J. Ryan of that city.

Mr. Ryan, accompanied by a Mrs. Graffham, an aunt of the dead girl, and a younger sister, came to Dover on an early train to-day and went at once to the residence of Dr. Stackpole. They were directed to the undertaking parlors of Tasker & Chesley.

"Oh, my Katy! My Katy! My Katy!" screamed Mrs. Graffham the moment she saw the silent figure in the undertaker's room.

Heartrending Scene.

The woman collapsed. She threw herself on the floor beside the girl's bier, and fondling the cold hands cried unrestrainedly.

As Michael J. Ryan entered the room, Mrs. Graffham threw herself on the floor and tore her hair in hysterics.

One look the strong man gave the white face, then he moaned: "Katy! Katy! Darling! Why is this? What does this mean?"

Throwing his hat on the floor the man paced up and down the room, his eyes streaming, and inarticulate moans coming from his throat.

The sister of the dead girl ran into the room and with one wild scream: "Katy!" she, too, identified at a glance the dead girl.

In a short time Sheriff Smith and County Solicitor Hall, who had been waiting outside, came into the undertaking rooms and were soon closeted with the father, aunt and sister of the dead girl.

Hundreds of persons have viewed the remains of the dead girl up until this time to-day. Now that the identification is complete the curiosity seekers will be barred.

WORKED IN STORE.

Katherine Ryan worked in a Lowell store, and much of her time she lived

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Sketch by BOSTON AMERICAN staff artist of dead woman and photographic reproduction of brush bearing monogram "K. R." which led to identification.

PLAN TO RUSH TROOPS TO CRUSH IRISH REVOLT

PARLIAMENT SPECIFIES SIX COUNTIES IN "DISTURBED SECTION."

LONDON, Aug. 28.—Six Irish counties are to-day declared by the government to be in a state of disturbance, requiring additional police. The announcement came as the result of the conflict between Irish nationalism and English conservatism which has already precipitated a new land campaign. Troops stand ready to move at a moment's notice. The Lord Lieutenant is to command of the situation.

The counties declared to be in a state of disturbance are: Roscommon, Clare, Galway, Leitrim, Kings and Longford.

The proclamation gives the Lord Lieutenant power to order extra forces of police to the different counties. When the proclamation was printed in the official gazette at Dublin last night it was noted with ominous silence. Grave riots are feared before the trouble is settled.

James P. Farrell, Irish Nationalist member of Parliament for North Longford, and forty others who were arrested yesterday and taken before a special court on the charge of taking part in "an unlawful assembly likely to cause a riot," are to-day out on bail.

The arrests followed an anti-Sinn Fein speech made at Longford by the Earl of Granard, a Liberal member of the House of Lords. The Sinn Feiners resented the Earl's remarks and a scuffle resulted between the supporters of Farrell and those of Granard, whose seat, Castle Forbes, is at Longford.

Mr. Farrell is editor and proprietor of the Longford Leader, a Nationalist newspaper circulating in the counties Longford, West Meath, Roscommon and Leitrim. He is the author of a "History of the County of Longford." At the general election of 1900 Mr. Farrell was returned unopposed from North Longford, succeeding Justin McCarthy, who resigned.

Farrell had been holding meetings throughout his constituency, at which exciting scenes occurred between Nationalists and members of the Sinn Society. Many cattle were driven from the grazing lands district, which the prosecution charges was encouraged by Farrell and other speakers.

The British parliamentary session closes formally to-day. It has been notable chiefly for the persistent conflict between the upper and lower houses.

The British government's chief legislative failures during the session were all concerned with Ireland, and they foreshadow another struggle in the British electorate on the question of the Union with Ireland. The Irish councils bill, which was framed moderately to conciliate the British Liberal Unionists, had to be abandoned on the order of the Irish Catholic hierarchy and its parliamentary champion, Timothy M. Healy. The project for establishing a Catholic university in Ireland had also to be abandoned.

'CHARGE IT TO WHITNEY;' CASH BARREL OPEN

Newest Campaign Phrase Makes Glad the Heart of Bay State Hotel Men.

PASSWORD GETS POPULAR

The following is copied from this morning's New York World:

"CHARGE IT TO WHITNEY."

Promises to Be a Catch Phrase in Massachusetts This Fall.

(Special to the World.)

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 27.—"Charge it to Whitney," a phrase two days old, promises to be a political catchword with the opponents of Henry M. Whitney, the Boston millionaire who seeks the Democratic nomination for Governor over General Charles H. Bartlett.

Candidate Whitney has been touring the State in an automobile, and his orders giving Boston newspaper men and local political leaders carte blanche have made the phrase "Charge it to Whitney" a joyful password in leading western Massachusetts hotels.

BOY KILLED BY FALLING LUMBER

While gathering stray pieces of kindling to carry home, ten-year-old William Leonard, Jr., of 197 Vine street, East Cambridge, was almost instantly killed by a load of lumber that fell on him, in the yard of the E. H. Gerlach & Company mills, No. 1 Thorndike street, yesterday afternoon.

ROOSEVELT DIRECTS MELLEN MERGER PROBE

President Roosevelt has sent to Acting Attorney-General Alford W. Cooley by telegraph further instructions in regard to the merger of the New Haven and Boston & Maine railroads. The contents of the message from Oyster Bay are not announced, but may have an important bearing on the proceedings by the Federal government to determine what action shall be taken against Charles S. Mellen of the New Haven line and his associates, as violators of the anti-trust law.

Presidential instructions followed the interview between Mr. Cooley and United States District Attorney Sherman L. French in this city yesterday. It is understood that Mr. Cooley called at President Roosevelt's request, that Mr. French had already accomplished in the inquiry, and that the message in reply will be considered by the two Federal prosecutors when they meet. Or what is expected to be a final conference in Mr. French's private office at No. 87 Milk street to-day.

Mellen Gobbles More.

What the telegram said Mr. French does not know. He would not discuss it all. But while he is investigating the merger record of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, not alone in connection with the proposed gobbling of the Boston & Maine system, but its absorption of electric lines as well, the Mellen road showed how little it fears Federal interference in its monopolistic campaign by boldly throwing all such pretence as a "holding company" aside in its gobbling up of three Rhode Island electric lines.

In New Jersey, the chief operating ground of the New Haven road yesterday, the New Haven road absorbed the Rhode Island Securities Company and took possession of the Pawtuxet Valley Street Railway Company, the Union Company and the Rhode Island Company and the suburban Street Railway Company. The latter management. The holding company was cast aside at the behest of Attorney-General John G. Parker of New Jersey, who, after conferring with him the necessary receipts of the Rhode Island Company, signed the papers putting the three trolley lines into the hands of the Mellen line for undisguised ownership.

"Only Formal Proceeding."

"It was only a formal proceeding," said Mr. Parker, "to facilitate the handling of the stock of the various corporations owned by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad which are held by the Rhode Island Securities Company. The resolution dissolving it was passed unanimously. The three trolley lines operating in Pawtucket, Providence and vicinity will now be handled direct by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad."

"I am now making," wrote United States District Attorney Asa P. French on Friday last to Greenville S. MacFarland, chairman of the executive committee of the Independence League of Massachusetts, "a careful inquiry, not only into the facts to which you refer connected with the attempted consolidation of the two railroads, but the acquisition, direct and indirect, by the New Haven road during the past five or six years of other steam roads, of street railways and of steamship lines."

French Still Probing.

How this bold move by the New Haven road will impress President Roosevelt, Acting Attorney-General Cooley and District Attorney French remains to be seen. Acting Attorney-General Cooley, ordered to Boston to confer with Mr. French on the merger investigation, said: "I cannot make any statement as to the inquiry as yet. We have only begun to dig into the mass of evidence. All I can say now is that the investigation is to be very thorough."

District Attorney French, when seen said:

"We put in some solid work, but I cannot tell what the substance of it was. There will be no statement. I will continue my investigation and shall very shortly make arrangements for extra office hire to wrestle with the mass of evidence and other stuff which must be gone over.

"We have a very thorough understanding on just what is to be done and now we intend to buckle down and do things."

MERCHANTS PARADE IN NEW BEDFORD TO-DAY

By Long Distance Telephone.

NEW BEDFORD, Aug. 28.—Three parades, aquatic and athletic sports and band concerts were the features of Merchants' Day in connection with this city's celebration of Old Home Week to-day. In the evening there will be more band concerts and elaborate illuminations.

The first parade to-day was that of the order of Eagles, which under Chief Marshal E. P. Duffy formed on Pleasant street at 10 o'clock and was reviewed in front of the library building by Mayor Charles S. Ashley.

After the parade the Eagles went to Sisson's Grove where they had a field day and clam bake.

An automobile parade followed that of the eagles and was also reviewed in front of the library building by the Mayor.

During the morning Lincoln Beaches made an awkward mile straight.

In the afternoon there were aquatic sports on the Acushnet river, including motor boat, whale-boat and sailboat races. While these were going on a band concert on the New Bedford and Fairhaven bridge, a shoot at the Pasquaconsett Gun Club and a tennis tournament at the Country Club.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon matinee races under the auspices of the New Bedford Driving Club, began at Evergreen Park, and there were sports on the Coes street grounds.

Thousands of visitors are in town.

QUAKE IN MARTINIQUE.

FORT de FRANCE, Martinique, Aug. 28.—Martinique was shaken by a strong earthquake shortly before 11 o'clock last night, but no damage has been reported from any part of the island.

HOLD BOY OF SEVEN ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

PROVIDENCE POLICE ACT AFTER SESSION OF CORONER'S JURY.

Special to the Boston Americans.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 28.—Willie Dunn, seven years of age, who on August 17 pushed his chum, Timothy Conway, into the water under the James A. Potter company dock at the foot of Crary street, where he had was later found drowned, is held by the Providence police on a charge of manslaughter as the result of the inquest which was held yesterday afternoon.

Lieutenant J. B. Hartnett of the fifth police station, Margaret M. Conway of No. 12 Allen's avenue, the fourteen-year-old sister of the boy who was drowned, and Elizabeth J. Fahey of No. 5 Borden street, thirteen years of age, were the principal witnesses at the inquest.

Policeman on Stand.

Lieutenant Harnett told how he had questioned all of the lads who were playing with Timothy Conway on the dock at Crary street on August 17. He said that the Dunn boy finally said that he had been wrestling with young Conway on the dock of the James A. Potter company on the morning of the 17th, and that during their struggles Conway was pushed into the water.

According to the policeman this happened about 7 o'clock and Dunn ran away from the dock and didn't tell anyone about what had happened. He had told the officer, it is said, that he was afraid to.

Lieutenant Hartnett said that young Dunn had gone with him to the dock and showed him where he had wrestled with little Conway and that grappling in the water at the spot indicated had resulted in the body of the drowned boy being found the next day.

Believe It Was Accident.

Willie Dunn is the youngest boy ever held on the charge of manslaughter in New England. The police admit that the affair may have been an accident, but they are determined to sift the matter thoroughly.

LEAGUE MEN IN LAWRENCE GREET HISGEN

Gubernatorial Candidate on Independence Ticket to Speak This Evening.

MEETS LEADING CITIZENS

LAWRENCE, Aug. 28.—Thomas L. Hisgen of Springfield, candidate for the Independence League nomination for Governor, is in Lawrence today and will meet prominent citizens in the Essex House at 6 o'clock this evening.

Members of the local Independence League met him at the train and escorted him to the hotel, where a reception was held. The reception was informal. It was not only for members of the Independence League but for other citizens, as Mr. Hisgen is desirous of meeting the people generally.

Mr. Hisgen is a fluent speaker. There is a considerable Democratic population in this city, which will be especially welcome.

Mr. Hisgen will discuss matters pertinent to the campaign.

LOWELL LEAGUE MAKES PLAN FOR HISGEN CAMPAIGN

LOWELL, Aug. 28.—The Independence League City Committee met in the American House here last night and made arrangements for the coming campaign. Frank M. Bell, the chairman, presided. In the absence of Thomas X. Hisgen, candidate for the Independence League nomination for Governor, who was detained at his plant in West Springfield because of a break down in his pumping station, Col. O. Power, secretary of the league, addressed the committee. He expressed Mr. Hisgen's regret at his inability to attend. Mr. Power dealt with the issues of the campaign and spoke of Mr. Hisgen's candidacy.

Addresses were also made by Michael A. Lee, secretary of the Lowell league; Joseph Ashton, a labor leader, and Dennis J. Hing, one of the city's most prominent merchants.

A great deal of interest in the campaign and enthusiasm for the league's platform was manifested. It was voted to elect a full set of delegates to the State convention and to the senatorial convention in the Eighth Middlesex district. The question of nominating a straight Independence League candidate for State Senator was seriously considered.

At the close of the meeting it was voted that it was the sense of the meeting that Mr. Hisgen make an effort to visit the Lowell league before the primaries.

Twenty of the twenty-four members of the City Committee attended the meeting, and between thirty and forty prominent voters called to pay their respects to Mr. Hisgen or the representative of the State Committee.

Proctor, Who Stole $225, at Liberty; Boy Took Bread, Goes to Jail

Bertrand Lyons, a Boston schoolboy.

Robert G. Proctor, former secretary of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge.

Here are two photographs, one of a young man, Robert G. Proctor, on the right, who stole $225, but who has a political pull, the other, on the left, of Bertrand Lyons, a Boston grammar school graduate, living at No. 277 Silver street, South Boston, who stole a loaf of bread worth five cents, but who has no political pull.

Proctor was the private secretary of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. Proctor was convicted of theft and sentenced to serve eleven months in the jail on Deer Island. Proctor is at large today, and some of the police who have the power to arrest him seem to want him. He is to all intents and purposes a free man.

To Feed Stray Dog.

Lyons was convicted of stealing a loaf of bread with which he intended to feed a stray, outcast dog which was starving. He was arrested a few hours after the theft, put in jail, remained there a day and sentenced to be locked up in Concord Reformatory till the authorities should decide he ought to be free. The young man appealed. He says he didn't steal the bread. But he has no money, no political pull and he is still locked up in Concord Reformatory.

CORONATION OF NEW COREAN EMPEROR

TOKIO, Aug. 28.—A state council for Corea was appointed last Friday. The coronation of the new Corean Emperor took place recently without a hitch. The old and new emperors and the crown prince met together.

FEAR FIREBUG IN PROBE OF MURDERER

OTTAWA, Ohio, Aug. 28.—The police have been unable to make any headway in ferreting out the murderers of John Progwar, who was shot and weighted to the bottom of the Auglaize river. Farmers fear that it will become known they were giving the officers any information and the home would be burned to the ground in forty-eight hours.

GIRL DEAD AT DOVER KATY RYAN, LOWELL

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with her aunt, Mrs. Grafham, at No. 581 Central street, Lowell.

Three weeks ago last Tuesday Katherine left for a two weeks' vacation at Littleton, N. H., and her relatives had heard once from her there, where they supposed she had been visiting friends.

Miss Dolores H. Heyer, the pretty housekeeper at the residence of Dr. Stackpole, who found the dead body of the girl in a room she had arranged in the doctor's house, is now a prominent figure in the case. She has been closely questioned by the police, and has admitted that Miss Ryan were clothing furnished her at the house.

Bound to Hide Identity.

It is evident that when the young woman came to Dr. Stackpole's house that she desired that every means of identifying herself in event of her death be destroyed, for which she was apparently prepared, be destroyed. Not a scrap of writing of any kind was left among her effects. In her pocketbook an imitation Russian leather affair of durable quality, were found some few trinkets such as any young woman might collect for sentimental reasons from time to time, and a pitiful thirty-five cents in change. There was also found in the purse a pair of rimless eyeglasses.

Dr. Stackpole, at whose house the young woman secured lodgings on August 15, was asked if at any time the girl gave the slightest intimation as to where she lived or where she had been recently. "She did not," said the Doctor. "One time my housekeeper, Miss Heyer, recalls that she said she either lived in Lowell or that she thought Lowell was the nicest place she had ever been to or something like that. I never had any conversation with her to amount to anything. Sometimes I would be sitting here in my office and she would come in or go out, and she might call out to me, 'How are you, Doc?' and I would answer, 'Fine, Kit; how are you?' That's all the talk about that I ever had with her."

"She never told you her full name, then, Doctor?" "No, sir, not a word, and I never asked her. I wish that I had now. It would have saved a lot of bother for everybody. What I feel particularly bad about is the fact that she died in my room and we had here at the time, and we generally have quite a few in the house."

Denies She Was Ill.

"Was the young woman ill at all while she was here?"

"No," Dr. Stackpole answered slowly. "That is, she complained one night of her heart, saying she was all out of breath, and I gave her a couple of heart tablets which I keep right here in the drawer of my desk, but that was all. Nothing I ever did for her. That's what I would do for anybody who happened to be here and asked me for a little relief for any slight ailment."

"Had you any suspicion that anything was wrong with the young woman at any time while she was here?"

"Why, no; there was no reason for me to suspect anything. Why the Friday afternoon before she died she was down here in the parlor looking over some books and appeared to be all right. Never a thought crossed my mind that anything was wrong."

"You were away the morning she was found dead?"

"Yes, I went to Boston on the 10:18 train and I didn't get back until between 5 and 6 o'clock. Then my housekeeper told me what had happened. Miss Heyer had found her dead on the bed in her room, and as soon as I got home I sent word to the medical referee, Dr. Tolman."

Has Been Questioned.

"Have you been questioned at all by the authorities, Doctor?"

"Oh, yes; I have been to see Dwight Hall, the county solicitor, and the sheriffs have been here, and I have told them all I know. I have nothing to conceal. It would have been the same thing had the girl died in any physician's house. Unfortunate, perhaps, but I am not worrying any about it, because I know that I have done nothing wrong. I am only anxious as anyone to find out who this unfortunate girl was. I will assist them by all the means in my power."

"Did the girl ever receive any letters here?" "No, she did not, but she acted as though she expected one. Never said anything about getting any letter though, but I have noticed her several times come down stairs and stop and look at the table where the cards and letters were left and look over them as if she expected that there might be one for her. Whether there was one or not is the question I do not know."

An Attractive Girl.

"What was your impression of the girl?" "I thought she was a very nice appearing girl, and when she was dressed up she was an attractive sort of young person. She told me once when I called her Kit, kind of off handed, that that was all right, that she was often called Jessie or Kitty by her friends, and she was jocial, a nice sort of girl and always ready with a joking remark. She came from good folks I thought I think, and all her clothing was of good quality."

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LISTING

of Male Residents

Listing of male residents of Boston will close Sept. 3. The listing office at Police Headquarters, 37 Pemberton Square, will be open daily from 6 A. M. to 10 P. M., and on Sept. 3 additionally until midnight, when listing for 1907 ceases.

Male residents of Boston May 1, 1907, whose names do not appear on the lists already printed, and those persons who will have been residents of Boston for six months preceding the election at which they claim the right to vote, may apply for listing. Unless listed they cannot vote this year. The printed lists may be seen at 37 Pemberton Square.

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Listing Board.

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TO DEDICATE NEW JEWISH TEMPLE SUNDAY

Noted Men From All Over the Country to Assist in Exercises.

BUILDING COST $500,000

Representative Jews from all parts of the country will attend the dedication exercises of the Temple Israel, corner of Commonwealth avenue and Blandford street, next Sunday afternoon. The handsome marble edifice, costing more than $500,000 is modeled after the Temple of Solomon, and is said to be the handsomest synagogue in the United States.

The rabbi, assisting, of which Charles Fleischer is rabbi, is the most influential in New England, and has among its members many of the best known business and professional men.

Prominent Men as Guests.

Among the invited guests who have signified their intention of being present at the dedication exercises are Governor Guild, Senator Lodge, Congressman O'Connell, Mayor Fitzgerald, members of the State and City Governments, Rev. Edward E. Hale, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York and Rabbi M. M. Eichler of Boston.

The dedication program is as follows: Opening prayer, Rabbi M. M. Eichler; delivery of key, Miss Fanny Frank; acceptance of key and delivery of building, Mr. Samuel Shuman, chairman of building committee; acceptance of building, Daniel Frank, president; lighting of perpetual lamp, Mrs. J. H. Hecht; benediction, Rabbi Solomon Schindler; address, Rev. Edward Everett Hale; sermon, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise; dedicatory address, Rabbi Charles Fleischer.

The present officers of the congregation are Daniel Frank, president; Jacob H. Mendes, vice president; Louis Strauss, treasurer; Leo J. Lyons, secretary; Jacob Dreyfus, Albert Elsman, Meyer H. Goldschmidt, Jacob Leiberg, Louis Hyneman, Samuel Shuman and Felix Voreeberg, board of trustees. The building committee under whose charge the building was erected is Samuel Shuman, chairman, Louis Strauss, treasurer, Albert Elsman, Daniel Frank, Jacob H. Morse, Louis Hyneman and Louis Leffler.

To Care for Guests.

The reception committee which will care for the guests is: William Bloom, chairman; Ferdinand Strauss, A. Hyneman, L. Elsman and N. J. Amster. The musical programme is in charge of Jacob R. Morse, Nathaniel L. Louis Strauss, Louis Hyneman, Mrs. R. J. Wolf, Mrs. L. Elsman and Mrs. M. Hirsch. The decorations are in charge of Samuel Shuman, chairman; Mrs. William Filene, Mrs. F. F. Straus, Daniel Frank, president of the congregation, is chairman of the general committee, while Mrs. Frank is chairman of the committee of women who have also served materially in the decoration of the interior.

EXPOSURE OF LAND DEAL STARTLES POLITICIANS

How Much of This Is Graft?

Items in the big loan bill providing for the purchase of land.

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT.	
Mt. Hope cemetery enlargement	$40,000
Evergreen cemetery enlargement	40,000
INSANE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.	
Boston Insane Hospital, land and buildings	125,000
PARK DEPARTMENT.	
Playground, Ward 13	25,000
Playground, Ward 17	80,000
Playground, Parker Hill	50,000
Savin Hill Park	35,000
Total	$405,000

Politicians, big and little, throughout the city have been thrown into consternation by the demand of the Finance Commission, politely couched in the form of a request, that Mayor Fitzgerald immediately prohibit by an executive order the purchase of any land by any city department at a price more than 25 per cent. higher than the assessed valuation.

The action of the Finance Commission, it is generally believed, will put an end to purchases which have been in progress for months. The big loan bill, as approved by Mayor Fitzgerald, contained items amounting to $405,000 for the purchase of land, only one item for the purchase of land was vetoed by Mayor Fitzgerald, this was $30,000 for the enlargement of Rogers Park, Brighton. This was vetoed after the proposed deal had been exposed in the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Big Increase in Land Values.

In their letter to the Mayor the finance commissioners point out that the different departments plan to pay ten cents a foot for land assessed for a cent and a half a foot; $1.25 a foot for land assessed for thirty-five cents, and fifty cents a foot for land assessed for twenty-two cents. The commission also calls the Mayor's attention to the fact that in the bill of $1,566,500 approved by him, over one-fourth in number and one-third in amount of the items are for the purchase of land. In no case, it says, were the premises described or the prices fixed only a careful investigation by the finance commissioners revealed what pieces of land it was intended to purchase, and what price it was intended to pay.

In nearly every case it was proposed to buy the land at private purchase and not take it by right of eminent domain. The price would be fixed by agreement. The commission states that in no case, in its opinion, does the purchase of land exceed the assessed value.

The action of the Finance Commission in holding up the land deals is the most drastic that the probers have taken since they commenced their investigations. With the bond issue held up, the water loan pending and badly cut, and now the highly profitable land deals stopped, the politicians ask:

"What next?"

The action of the Finance Commission was taken after its investigation of the proposed expenditure of $125,000 for the purchase of the John Fottler, Jr., estate for the enlargement of the Boston Insane Hospital, apparently the most flagrant of the proposed deals. The land and buildings were assessed for but $21,100, yet the trustees proposed to pay $125,000 at the rate of 10 cents a foot for land assessed for 1½ cents. In reaching its decision the trustees stated that they were advised by Real Estate Expert John C. Cobb. The land comprises 1,286,322 square feet and adjoins the land used for the present hospital. Attempts have been made for years past to sell it to the city.

A drastic remedy to cure the land graft evil is suggested by the commissioners. They propose that the next Legislature be asked to provide legislation prohibiting any city department from acquiring land by private sale at a price more than 25 per cent. higher than the average valuation of the assessors for the three years preceding purchase.

The commissioners and the politicians, the latter anxiously, are awaiting the reply of the Mayor to the communication of the finance commissioners. Will he dare refuse to issue the order prohibiting the consummation of the deals?

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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1000 Pairs Women's Canvas Oxford Ties, in colors and white. D. S. Co.'s price 1.50 to 2.00 a pair. Our price 49c

980 Pairs of Child's Boots, in a great variety of kinds. D. S. Co.'s price 1.00 a pair. Our price 49c

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300 Ladies' Straw Hats, many styles and shapes, a variety of straws. D. S. Co.'s price 25c. Our price 5c

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DISOWNED, SAYS SPOOKS BEWITCHED HER FATHER

"Bright Eyes" and "Little White Rose" Play Part in Heiress s Story.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Following new sensational disclosures in the examination of Edward Ward Vanderbilt, the wealthy Brooklyn lumber merchant, whose daughter says he was bewitched by the spook "Bright Eyes," Miss Vanderbilt made this exclusive statement to the AMERICAN yesterday:

"In spite of all that has been revealed of my father's life, the mad infatuation which has blinded him to his duty toward his own flesh and blood, the delusion which caused him to cut off the rest of his family for the sake of a woman who has made him her dupe, I have not in the least lost my affection for him. I feel for him only the deepest sorrow and pity.

"I have been compelled to bring this action to prevent my father from being despoiled by his present wife of all that he has from becoming a victim of the same fate which has befallen others over whom Mrs. Pepper has obtained control.

Under Control of Woman.

"My father, even now, is so under the control of this woman that he does not have the least realization that he has been swindled."

All day long the aged spiritualist was on the stand, and more and more fantastic became his testimony as the hours went by. Nearly all his testimony dealt with the ghostly "Bright Eyes," the wraith of the little Indian trapeze performer, who, he said, had succeeded better than any other denizen of the spirit world to bring him to communion with the disembodied soul of his first wife.

"Bright Eyes" also proved to be a most versatile spook. According to Mr. Vanderbilt's testimony, she talked to him over the phone, had driven a horse which he had purchased "Charley," and had written letters to the gray-haired merchant while traveling across the Atlantic or quietly resting at a fashionable European health resort.

Bright-Eyes' Spook Rival.

"Bright Eyes" furthermore showed she had as decided likes and dislikes as though she was still an Indian maiden. She again expressed her fondness for candy and jewelry. Noises distracted her, she said.

Yet in spite of all that "Bright Eyes" had done for the aged lumberman she was found yesterday to have a rival for his spiritual devotion. Letters were read which showed that when "Bright Eyes" was enjoying herself on a European tour, the spook of a white girl, known in the astral tongue as "Little White Rose," had gained his ear in many a ghostly conversation.

The rivalry of the two spirits finally caused the shade of Mr. Vanderbilt's dead wife to intervene in behalf of the "Bright Eyes."

The sensation of the morning session preceding the entrance of both "Bright Eyes" and "Little White Rose" into court, was an attack upon the character of Mrs. Pepper, credited to Miss Vanderbilt and jested her father to a grilling fire of questions.

Mrs. Pepper's Character.

"Do you believe in the perfect fidelity of Mrs. Pepper?" asked William C. Rosenberg.

"I do."

"What do you think of her character?"

"She is a fine, good woman, a good wife."

"Where did you get your opinion of her?"

"By living with her and studying her, face to face."

"Did you ever investigate her character?"

"I did."

"And what was the result of your inquiries?"

"I found that she had led a perfectly straight life, a life that was above suspicion."

"Did you ever hear of a man by the name of Allen?"

"Yes. He lived in Providence."

"Did he not have certain relations with Mrs. Pepper?"

"Mr. Allen and she were very, very friendly, but that was all."

"Did you know that she once lived in Brooklyn under the name of Mrs. George?"

"I never heard that she did. I do not think that story true."

"Were you ever acquainted with George W. Pepper, whose name your present wife bore when you married her?"

"No. But I will say this: Mrs. Pepper was deceived into marrying that man."

"But Mrs. Pepper once signed an affidavit that she was never married to Pepper."

"I never heard of such an affidavit."

"Mr. Vanderbilt, don't you know that at one time Mrs. Pepper was an inmate of a house in Providence that was known as the 'Grape Vine?'"

"I certainly do not," exclaimed the keen-eyed old man, suddenly straightening up in his chair, his face tightly clenched, his breast heaving with indignation.

Bay State's Remarkable Blind Girl, Miss Helen Keller, Greeting Child

Photo taken at convention of workers for the blind, at Perkins Institute, Jamaica Plain, showing (from left to right) Mrs. John H. Macey, teacher to Miss Keller; Miss Helen Keller, famed blind girl; Miss Florence Morford, daughter of the superintendent of the Brookline Institute for the Blind; Mr. Hiltz of Washington, D. C.

ARCHBISHOP WILLIAMS IS WELL AND AT WORK

VENERABLE PRELATE FATIGUED AFTER HIS LONG TRIP, BUT HEALTH IS UNIMPAIRED.

This official statement regarding the health of the Very Reverend Archbishop John J. Williams was issued to the BOSTON AMERICAN by the Rev. Francis X. Dolan (secretary), at the archiepiscopal residence to-day:

"There is nothing in the condition of the health of the archbishop that disturbs his household. The archbishop came back last Wednesday from his regular vacation, spent at Hemlock Lake, near Rochester, N. Y. He spent his whole vacation period as planned, but came home fatigued.

"He is eighty-five, you know, and his name from Rochester unattended on the train, and at night, and the weather at that time was very hot.

"He kept to his room for a few days, but to-day at 7.30 a. m. he was dressed and is now in his office, attending to his regular duties."

Archbishop Williams did not feel strong enough to attend the retreat at Brighton Seminary, now on. He is under the care of Dr. John B. Blake of No. 178 Beacon street. The Boston morning newspapers reported the archbishop as being ill.

FIND MISSING HARVARD MAN

That John O'Brien, wealthy Harvard student, who was reported missing from his home at No. 10 Mayfair street, Roxbury, is in San Francisco and will return home this fall and continue his studies at Harvard is the belief of his mother, Mrs. Cornelius O'Brien.

On September last, just as he was about to enter Harvard on his second year, he suddenly disappeared from home. Nothing was heard from him until last March, when his mother received a letter from San Francisco stating that he was there and would return this Fall to re-enter college.

Mr. O'Brien is six feet tall and in an athletic way at college he made the football team. He won many cups in wheel events.

FIND BOY SAFE UNDER WHARF

Swept away by the tide, while at play with his little chums, and supposedly drowned, John Dunlea, five years of age, residing at No. 5 Gill street place, Charlestown, was found three hours afterward lying on a cross arm of a pile underneath the grain shed of Nathan Tufts & Son, on Warren avenue, where he had been left by the outgoing tide.

The boy had fallen into the water from Crowley's yard, and as it was high tide was carried underneath the bridge. He came in contact with the cross arm and had presence of mind enough to hold on to it.

LORD STRATHCONA REPORTED RECALLED

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—Lord Strathcona, Lord High Commissioner of Canada, accompanied by his daughter, Hon. Mrs. Howard, is a passenger on the steamer of the White Star line to-day. This makes the second time that the lord has crossed the water. It was reported that he has been recalled and goes to consult with King Edward.

FORE RIVER WORKER HURT IN EXPLOSION

John Birbe, a mechanic employed in the forge shop at the Fore River Shipyards, Quincy, was badly scalded when a boiler close exploded and he is in the yard hospital in an extremely critical condition.

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$4.00 Princess Jumper Dresses for $2.98
Jumper dresses made from the celebrated Toile du Nord and A. F. C. chambray, in dainty pink, light blue and other desirable shades; waist has broad tucks, skirt is trimmed with folds. Value $4.00. Clean-Up Price... 2.98

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MYSTERY IN GIRL'S DEATH GROWS DEEPER

Different Clues Lead to Both Murder and Suicide of School Teacher.

HAT AND SKIRT MISSING

DOVER, N. J., Aug. 28.—Miss Agnes Maguire's body has been found, but the manner in which the pretty Brooklyn school teacher met her death near Camp Look-Who's-Here," on Lake Hopatcong, remains a complete mystery. Was she kidnapped while fighting her way through the rainstorm, falling into the hands of fiends, who are known to have infested the neighborhood, and her body thrown into the shallow water? Was she murdered by a young man whom Chief of Police Christie of Lake Hopatcong now has under the closest surveillance, but against whom there is said to be no direct evidence?

Suffering with nervous trouble and rendered insane by the terror of the storm and darkness of the night, broken only by vivid flashes of lightning, did she wander away from the boggy mud and throw herself into the lake?

At the close of the autopsy Coroner Hichens said the young woman had come to her death from drowning. Whether she was accident, murder or suicide he was not prepared to say.

Victim of Fiend?

"Agnes was the victim of a fiend! She was either murdered or thrown into the lake or her head was held under water until life was gone. The theory of suicide is ridiculous. So declared Bernard Maguire, uncle of the pretty Brooklyn school teacher.

There were no marks of violence on the body. The organs were normal, save the water that filled the lungs. There was a little blood about the nostrils, and the mouth. This in the case of persons drowned and whose bodies are recovered in a few days is common, usual and generally expected. But with these facts known the mystery remains as dark as ever.

The body was found floating near Bass Rock, about 250 feet from Camp Look-Who's-Here on Lake Hopatcong. It was in shallow water and scarcely had floated some little time before it was discovered. The hat of the young woman was missing. Her hair had become undone and the shirt she wore at the time she disappeared was gone. The lifeless body was discovered by James Jennison and William Snyder, who are spending the Summer at Camp No. 6.

May Deepen Mystery.

Discovery of the skirt of the young woman may even deepen the mystery and all of the afternoon was spent in a search for it. The lake in the neighborhood of the place where the body was found will be dragged with the hope that it may be found. The hat, which was of light straw, is another missing link.

When the body was found all of the facts of the case were made known to the police that something might have been overlooked. Late word received by the police reached the lake. Only one point was discovered.

Mrs. Thompson, mother of State Senator Thompson, has a cottage on the hill near the railroad station, which is 200 feet from where the boggy mud in which the girl was last seen. She says that about the time the girl was last seen on Wednesday evening she was looking toward the railroad station. A young woman dressed in gray or white—she does not know which—walked around the station several times and seemed to be looking for someone.

She also has been suspected of had at least followed the wishes of her family and broken an engagement with the man she loved. There was a difference in religion. The man, it is said, seemed to urge her, the despair he had shown at first and to have married another. But the wound had gone deep and burned the heart of the woman, she could not forget, and those about her knew it. She was watched not as the physician, but the mental, fit valid.

When her cousin asked her to accompany him to the camp, six miles away, in the buggy, promising to bring her home in time, he was warned not to leave her alone. They drove out in the rain, and for hour and fifteen minutes being used to cover that distance.

In the face of all that the father could not believe his daughter had met death with foul plan. He did not care to think she had committed suicide, nor was satisfied that his child had been found and the suggestion that had been terrible had been relieved.

However, Bernard Maguire, uncle of the dead girl, is of the opposite belief.

MANY WALTHAM VOTERS FLOCK INTO LEAGUE

The Independence League has perfected its organization in Waltham, and the following officers have been elected: President, George R. Glidden; secretary, John F. Williams, and treasurer, Frederick Scott Rose. Serving with Tammany Hall and Fred A. Snowflow, are to serve also as the City Committee.

Many promises of support have already been received from the mechanics and other labor men of the Watch City, and all declare that there is steadily growing sentiment among the voters in favor of the objects of the Independence League.

"I have watched the progress of many prudent political movements," says President Glidden, and never has a party incorporated into its platform as many planks favorable to the working people, and it would be an impossibility for a man to accept a nomination at the hands of the league and not be elected by a large vote if elected."

Secretary John F. Williams is equally enthusiastic as to the future of the local organization.

"The wage earners are just beginning to march shoulder to shoulder with the right leaders will win every and any battle they engage in," he declared.

Both Treasurer Frederick Scale, who is a deep resident of populous Ward 6, and Lally, who is well known among the local labor organizations, say that organized workmen will support the movement in Waltham.

MOOR SULTAN RUMORED SLAIN

LONDON, Aug. 28.—A report from Tangier to-day states that Sultan Abdul Aziz of Morocco has been assassinated.

With the proclamation of Mulley Hafid by tribesmen of southern Morocco as Sultan, it is realized that fanatical followers of Moulay would have a powerful incentive to put Abdul Aziz out of the way as a bid for favor with the new Sultan and that an attempt on his life may have succeeded in regarding as quite possible.

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One Chapter of this Story Will Be Printed Every Day This Week Except Saturday. The Next to the Last Chapter Will Be Published Friday, and the Solution Will Appear in Next Sunday's Boston American. This Gives You All Day Saturday to Write Your Solution and Try for a Prize.

BY ASA ROLAND.

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SYNOPSIS:

ANTHONY DEPAREE of the banking firm of James Deparee & Sons accidentally disappears from his automobile. The case is brought to the BOSTON AMERICAN South is assigned to the case. He finds that the missing man's elder brother, Edward, disappeared ten years ago. After six years' absence his death was reported. After the death Anthony Deparee and his wife retired from society.

Mrs. Deparee declared that the banker for years had made a trip to Marblehead on May 20th to prepare it for summer occupant. This year he did not leave until May 22 at 7 a. m. Leon Mines, the chauffeur, declared that on opening the door of the tonneau he discovered his employer's disappearance.

He told Mrs. Deparee he saw his employer enter the tonneau. Jules, the Deparee butler, was posting a letter at the time the banker's disappearance was discovered.

Chauffeur Harrigan is displeased at the appearance of the reporter on the case, but consents to work with him. On their way to the Deparee home Smith remarks that an aged man is not on the Fall River boat and is introduced to the old man's companion. She volunteers to assist him, using Scandal method of her companion. Harrigan is suspicious of the old man, who proves to be the banker's eldest brother, who was a victim of it. Mrs. Deparee shows signs of great grief and is agitated when Zara remarks that she understood Harrigan to say the missing banker had been detained by a storm. Mrs. Deparee declares they have not had a guest in over ten years. Chauffeur is called. He denies absolutely telling Mrs. Deparee her husband had been detained by a storm. Zara asks for explanation. Zara corrects Mrs. Deparee by peremptorily ordering the man to jump. At the word the chauffeur involuntarily leaps in the air and falls to a heap.

Smith mentions the odor of liquor in the suite occupied by Deparee and his suspicion that Deparee had been drugged. Zara declares that Deparee had overindulged. Neither of the servants is guilty of weakness. The detective holds to the drugging theory and that the outburst of the chauffeur showed his fear of being held responsible for the disappearance of his employer. He announces the theory that Deparee told him to tell the first story and called for Zara. Zara states that she found many champagne, whiskey and absinthe bottles in the suite.

"Zara sat by the window, her chin resting on her palm—'Please, I want to think,' she pleaded."

Conditions of the Contest

THIS story will run through the week. The final chapter, in which the mystery will be solved, will be printed in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

The only day on which no instalment of the story will appear will be Saturday. The next to the last chapter will be published Friday, and then everybody will have until 6 p. m. Saturday in which to solve the mystery.

The person who solves the mystery most accurately will receive the first prize of $50.

If two or more persons solve it correctly, the one whose reply was mailed first will receive first prize, the next one will get second prize, etc.

If no one solves the mystery accurately, the one who comes nearest to a correct solution will receive first prize.

Remember

That this is a test of SKILL IN THINKING, not skill in writing. All you have to do to win first prize is to THINK OUT the solution of the mystery QUICKER than somebody else. The literary merit of the answers will not be considered.

That if no correct answer is received, $100 IN PRIZES will be awarded ANYWAY to those who come nearest in solving the mystery.

That in case two or more answers are equally correct, the prizes will be awarded ACCORDING TO THE POSTMARKS ON THE ENVELOPES, the one mailed first receiving the first prize, etc.

That persons living at a distance from Boston have quite as good a chance to win prizes as those who live right in Boston.

NO ANSWERS POSTMARKED LATER THAN 6 P. M. SATURDAY WILL BE CONSIDERED.

Address all communications to PRIZE STORY EDITOR, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

CHAPTER III.

HUDDINS accompanied us to the road, taking the right automobile drive, talking garrulously of Deparee. Zara, tapping in a sudden interest in violets, strayed from us to the pedestrian path and was on her way to the gate when Huddins noticed her absence and uttered an ejaculation of dismay.

"This way out," he shouted.

Zara turned, and almost childish rebellion, shook her head.

"I'll meet you in the road," she explained.

Huddins glared across the lawn, and with difficulty controlled himself.

"Those confounded violets drawn you by the drive gate," he urged. "It's bad luck to go back the way you came."

"So it is," and Zara ran across the terrace.

Out of sight of the house, Harrigan stopped and seated himself on a big flat rock.

"Suppose we compare notes," he said curtly. "What did you find in the yard, Miss Zara?"

"A lot of blue bottle flies," she said thoughtfully, "a cow and a calf, a heap of broken bottles, broken crockery, broken furniture, farm implements, some old chains, relics of the revolution, I understand; some boards had lined with bottles, several pigs, a pair of horses, the relics of a rubbish fire consisting of old clothing, bats and pieces of a lot of chickens feeding on a mess of chopped meat."

"You didn't find much more than we did. That is, much of importance," observed Harrigan curtly.

"That depends on the point of view," she replied simply.

"I saw nothing of interest," I said, "but I did detect a strong odor of stale liquor about the suite occupied by Mr. Deparee, which contradicted, in my mind, the caretaker's statement that Deparee had not drunk. If that room has not been used for years for drinking bouts I am much mistaken."

"That is merely a surmise," said Harrigan, quickly; "there is nothing tangible in that.

"I hold to the wanderlust idea," he continued. "The outbreak of the chauffeur showed merely that he had worried himself into a nervous condition over the possibility of being held responsible for the disappearance of Mr. Deparee. I believe Deparee told him to tell his first story, and that he left the machine and took a lookout post for unclaimed dead between here and Boston, and connected with a steamer for Europe, or that he went straight on to Boston and took a train from there to New York and caught a steamer. He had plenty of money with him.

"As a matter of routine, I am going to investigate the vessels that sailed from Gloucester early this morning. He may have taken a trip from there. Meanwhile of course I shall order the shore and the road searched thoroughly and a lookout kept

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All that is ballyho. Inside they send you through 3311 degrees of ups and downs and round-about-s over swinging platforms, floorless floors, in among the mirrors, where it looks like a scene from a fairy grotto, and you can't get out without a guide and can see sixteen people that look just like you, and as a parting shot, send a volt or two of electricity up your shoe nails to come out of the rising spears of hair on the topmost pinnacle of your scalp-lock.

Only Just a Starter.

These then are a few of the things in the "crazy house," which will be a part of the great SUNDAY AMERICAN free ticket to Wonderland next week.

The balance of the free ticket consists of a ride on the Velvet Coaster, and, of course, admission to the splendors of Wonderland Park.

Among the free features of Wonderland Park this week are the Six Flying Bunyards in wonderful aerial stunts. Manager Higgins says he has arranged for a bill next week that will eclipse all former free shows. Next week is Carnival Week at Wonderland and Revere Beach. As a special Carnival feature Manager Higgins will produce "Alice in Wonderland," including thirty beautiful girls from fourteen to twenty years of age.

It will open with a beautiful parade, in which Alice will tour the park in an automobile, while her satellites will go before and after, appearing to waft the automobile along, being attached to it by long silk and satin ribbons producing a fairy-like effect—of the sort depicted in master paintings of mythological scenes.

Great Scene of Merry-Making.

The great scene of singing, dancing and merry-making will be laid upon a stage erected in the arena and can be seen to best advantage with the multitude of variegated lights in the evening.

Meanwhile Peter Golden, the renowned foot runner, who will have the management of the big six-day foot race the second week in September, is receiving entries from Greater Boston and all over New England, even to New York.

The six-day race will be held in the old Wild West Ground now occupied by the Miniature Railway and the pony carriages.

TWELVE OF LEADING AMUSEMENT PLACES AT REVERE ARE FREE

Next Monday being a holiday, the Revere Beach free tickets will be accepted first on Tuesday, but the plan will otherwise be so arranged that they can all be used on the several days of the week without inconvenience to the holders.

Tuesday will be the universal day for use of the SUNDAY AMERICAN coupons, as usual. The leading places on the boulevard and avenue benefiting them will be twelve in number, including Mystic Hill, Rodaway Skating Rink, Bench Rider Hippodrome, Three-Way Figure-Eight Roller Coaster, Journey to the North Pole, Musical Railway, Theatre Comique, Auto-Go-Round, Palace Merry-Go-Round, Automatic Bowling Alleys, Hurley's Hurdlers and Fairyland Theatre.

Other Pleasure Resorts.

The Canobie Lake free tickets next week will be good for use on Tuesday and Friday. They will be worth twenty-five cents, admitting holders to a Launch Rider on the Lake, The Laughing Gallery, House of Mirth and the Roller Coaster.

With free park admission and the natural and artificial splendors of the park enhanced with each passing week, the closing days of Canobie Lake Park bid fair to be the most prosperous to the company and satisfactory to visitors of any part of the season. The trolley service from the surrounding cities and towns is in apple pie order.

Paragon Park and Lexington Park officially close the season next Monday, Labor Day, and no more coupons will be published for these favorite resorts this season.

The "Funny Bug or Foolish House" at Wonderland and one of the happy little parties on the Velvet Coaster

SINN FEINS PLAN MEETING

That the Central Council of the Sinn Fein organization intend to spread the doctrine of the society was evidenced at a recent meeting, when a committee, consisting of Richard Dwyer, John J. Reynolds, Michael S. Drew, Richard Dwyer, Patrick A. Foley, Dennis J. Kelly and Martin Mulroy, was appointed to arrange for a public meeting next month.

The above committee was also instructed to act as an executive committee and make investigations as to the duties upon goods imported from Ireland and to what extent the trade marks are counterfeited on paper, linen and other articles of import.

The new officers of the State branch are Thomas J. Collins, president; D. J. Monaghan, first vice-president; Cornelius J. O'Leary, second vice-president; Patrick Tiffiff, third vice-president; Patrick J. Ferguson, treasurer; Dennis J. Kiely, financial secretary; Martin J. Mulroy, recording and corresponding secretary.

BOY IN HOSPITAL, ILL FROM LIQUOR

Edward Burrell, 14 years old, of No. 14 Sawyer street, Roxbury, is at the City Hospital, dangerously ill as a result of drinking a bottle of liquor in Madison park yesterday afternoon. The boy was found lying senseless on a bench in the park and the police were notified by some of his playmates.

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MASHERS, thugs, night marauders and sneak thieves, take notice! You have been whipped by women of bravery oftentimes, but generally have left the field of battle only slightly scarred.

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The accompanying picture shows its exact size.

Don't Be Conceited About the Work You May Happen to Do

By Beatrice Fairfax

I THOUGHT it would be a very simple and easy thing to trim a hat, and so with all the confidence in the world I proceeded to prove to the world that I had brought down to the country, where I was spending a few days.

The result was a most unbecoming and horse-radishing hat, a subsequent visit to the milliner in the nearest village and a subsequent request for the milliner's bill in general.

And as it taught me a wholesome lesson, the ribbon, flowers and experience were not wasted.

Respect Others

I DON'T believe that any of us have sufficient respect for the work done by our fellow-beings.

We are altogether too prone to think our own work the hardest and most important.

For instance, I can write an article on advice to girls, but, as was demonstrated, I cannot trim a hat nor do a hundred thousand other things that many people do very easily.

Don't get conceited over your work, girls. Keep on trying to do it a little better all the time, and you will present to think you can do it perfectly it will begin to diminish.

Never make the mistake of thinking that the work done by your neighbor is not as hard and as important as that done by yourself.

Did you ever hear the nursery rhyme about the old man who boasted that he "could do as much work in a day as his wife could do in two?"

She took him at his word and made him do the housework while she followed the plough.

He was a very tired old man at the end of the day, the house was in a fearful muddle and he humbly acknowledged that perhaps after all she could do her own work better than he could.

Betray Ignorance

MEN always imagine that woman's work is trivial and that anyone can do it.

In this they simply betray colossal ignorance, but you can never make them believe it.

All work that is properly done requires patience, perseverance and concentration.

If you are not willing to put your whole mind on what you are doing, you might just as well give it up first as last, for you will never in the world make a success of it.

It may be washing dishes or it may be writing stories, while you are at it it requires your entire concentration and interest.

This sounds like preaching, does it not? But think it over, girls, and see if you cannot find some personal application in it.

CHAMPION WOMAN WHIST PLAYER EXHORTS HER SEX TO STOP FOOLISH CARD PLAYING

Mrs. Sims Says: 'Stop This

Women Have Gone Mad Over Games, She Says

AFTER playing cards for years, Mrs. A. R. Sims of Des Moines, winner of the national whist tournament prize at St. Louis a year ago, has undergone a change in sentiment, and this week starts a crusade against card playing and gambling by her sex.

'Spend Your Time This Way'

Mrs. Sims, who is a niece of Robert Bonner, says: "I want all women to abandon card playing and devote their time to church work. The time wasted at the card table might better be given to the alleviation of the suffering of the poor and the sick, or in some other branch of church work.

"The card craze as it prevails among the women of this country is the most serious competitor the church has today.

"I have had letters from women in every leading city in the United States in which they declared that church and society women have gone mad over bridge whist and other card games."

To Keep Furniture and Glass Bright

THERE are many little hints the from spilling. Wipe the glass with this following of which will prolong dry cloth and it will become clean and the life of some tabled piece of furniture or article of bric-a-brac far beyond its natural period of existence.

How many persons, for instance, think that when they place a good chair or table near an open fireplace, a register or any very warm spot the heat will cause the wood and glue to dry, thus bringing about "dry rot" where the pieces are joined together?

How many women do not bear carelessly against the back of some polished wood chair, quite oblivious of the fact that the sharp buckles they are wearing are making great scratches that can never be eradicated?

Then, too, there are the little suggestions on the care of ornaments, so seldom either known or carried out.

For instance, probably very few persons, indeed, clean glass lamp globes, window panes, etc., properly. Especially for the former, the best thing is to place pulverized pumice stone between the layers of a folded piece of soft muslin and stitch around the edges to prevent the powder sparkle almost instantly. Enough powder will remain on the cloth to be used many times without renewing.

Another good idea is to keep a wet sponge in the cabinet with your cut glass or carvings. It will provide moisture that prevents cracking from dry heat. Of course, the sponge must be moistened occasionally.

CARE OF THE CANARY

IF the canary looks sad and doleful like as not it has the rheumatism, as a bird authority says careless owners do not keep the perches dry, and this painful disease, to which the bird is subject, is the result.

STYLE IN UMBRELLAS

THE new umbrella handles show a Greek face carved at the top, and there are also beautiful effects in enamel. Gay colors are considered very smart to carry an umbrella in all kinds of weather when one is walking.

Walk Betrays Your Character

PEOPLE betray their characters very much by the way they walk.

First, regular step shows a steady, determined, reliable character; jerky, uneven steps denote nervousness and irritability.

The energetic person walks quickly and stops suddenly.

The dreamer saunters along abstractedly with slow steps; but most people walk slowly when they happen to be in deep thought, so this is far from an infallible test.

The obstinate man plods along and will not deviate an inch from his path to please anybody.

At the same time, the person who is ready to get out of everyone's way is not necessarily weak-willed. He may suffer from an excess of politeness.

The long, elastic step usually marks the generous, broad-minded person, while, per contra, the small, petty step shows one of mean, narrow character. This applies far more to men than to women.

Slippers of Fancy Style

THEY are more expensive than any other kind of white slippers and are shown in more styles. As long as a pair of slippers of this kind holds together, they seemingly retain their original neatness. The slipper may be cleaned many, many times, always looking fresh and clean. If desired, they may be colored at a professional dyer's and made to match colored gowns.

Some of the present styles have five and six straps over the instep, the soles are almost tissue weight, though the heels are very French and give a stylish appearance never displayed in low-heeled shoes.

With the coming of the last Summer month women are purchasing many light tan shoes. Earlier in the season their preference was for coffee brown shoes, though the tan ones are now more favored, as they more easily match light Summer dresses.

Fruit Eating a Health Aid

IF people ate more fruit they would take less medicine and have better health. There is an old saying that fruit is gold in the morning and leaden at night. As a matter of fact, it may be gold at both times, but then it should be eaten on an empty stomach and not as a dessert.

Cook Book Free For Choice Recipes

THE writer of every recipe printed below receives a copy of the BOSTON AMERICAN Economy Cook Book, a substantial indexed blankbook of 219 pages, bound in heavy oilcloth, especially designed to preserve these recipe gems in permanent form.

PEARL CAKE

ONE and three-quarter cups sugar, three-quarter cup butter, three-quarter cup milk, whites of eggs, one-half teaspoon of soda, one-half teaspoon alcohol, one cup milk, two and three-quarter cups pastry flour, bake in a moderate oven and ice with cocoanut icing.

MRS. ROSE DUBE.
Box No. 616, Millbury.

VANILLA CREAMS

ONE cup sugar, one teaspoon salt, one cup sour cream, one teaspoon soda, one teaspoon vanilla, flour to roll out rather stiff. Cut with cookie cutter and bake in moderate oven.

MRS. CLAUDE SIDNEY,
American House, South Acton, Mass.

WATER SPONGE CAKE

MIX and sift two-thirds cup pastry flour and one-half teaspoon baking powder, one-eighth teaspoon salt; beat one egg yolk, and add one-half teaspoon lemon juice and three tablespoon cold water; fold in the stiffly beaten egg white and stir into this one-half cup sugar; bake in a moderate oven 20 to 25 minutes.

S. G. REVIS,
No. 722 Eighth street, So. Boston.

BERRY CAKE

THREE eggs beaten to a stiff froth, two cups of sugar, one half cup butter, one cup milk, three cups flour, two heaping teaspoons baking powder, one teaspoon of cassia and nutmeg; add a little salt and two cups of berries.

MOLASSES COOKIES

One cup of lard and butter mixed, melted first, then two cups of molasses poured on that; mix together and add one teaspoon cassia, one teaspoon of cloves, one of salt, three-fourths cup milk, two good teaspoons of soda in milk; add enough flour to make stiff enough to roll out. These are very nice.

MRS. M. RANDALL,
No. 334 Merrimac street, Newburyport.

WALNUT CAKE

ONE cup sugar, one-half cup butter, one half cup milk, three eggs (beat the whites separately), one-half cup butter, one teaspoon cream tartar, one-half teaspoon soda, one-half teaspoon salt, flour to roll, one large cup raisins, stoned and chopped, one large cup broken pin nuts.

ICE CREAM CAKE

One cup sugar, two small cups flour, one half cup milk, three eggs (beat the whites separately), one-half cup butter, one teaspoon cream tartar, one-half teaspoon soda, one-half teaspoon salt.

MRS. W. S. HUSE,
No. 21 Auburn street, Haverhill.

Simple Tastes For This Queen

QUEEN ALEXANDRA takes womanly accomplishments, and is deeply interested in all matters that affect the health and two cups flour, one teaspoon cream tartar, one-half teaspoon soda, one large cup raisins, stoned and chopped, one large cup broken pin nuts.

Her tastes, like those of her husband, King Edward, are simple; she believes that everything simple is best for health, and every person in the ordinary walks of life should know how to cook a dinner and manage a baby.

The Queen has always been a lover of home and family; her devotion to her husband is a matter of history, and her constant attachment to brothers and sisters is equally well known. It follows naturally that her interests are closely bound up with those of her sister, Queen George of Greece, about whom we have recently heard so much in connection with the currant growing industry of his gallant little country.

"A PRINCE OF SINNERS"

By E. Phillips Oppenheim

CHAPTER IX.—CONTINUED.

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HE bent over her, and he laughed softly in the darkness. A mad impulse was upon him to kiss her full, red lips. He resisted it.

"Why not? Does it sound so friendly?"

She drew her fingers away slowly but with determination.

"I had hoped," she said, "that you would have spared me this."

"Spared you?" he repeated. "I do not understand. Spared you?"

She looked at him with flashing eyes.

"Oh, I suppose I ought to thank you," she said bitterly. "Only I cannot. You were kinder when you joined with me and helped me to humiliate myself a moment. That was much kinder. Then you are not Mr. Mary," Brooks declared earnestly, "I do not understand you. I have not the least idea what you mean."

She looked at him incredulously.

"You have asked me to marry you," she said. "Why?"

"Because I care for you."

"Care for me? Does that mean that you love me?"

"Yes."

She noted very well that moment's hesitation.

"That is not true," she declared. "Oh, I know. You ask me out of pity—because you cannot forget. It is hateful of you—unkindness, I don't. It is hateful."

A light broke in upon him. He rested once more to take her hand, but she withheld it.

"I only half understand you, Mary," he said, reproachfully, "but I am sure you are mistaken. It would be ridiculous. I want you to be my wife. We are free, both of us, now. We can help one another—and I seem to have been very lonely lately, Mary said, with a sudden change in her tone. "Please forget curious side glance at him. Thank you. I am very lonely, too, sometimes. Please forget it. I am very happy as I am."

Brooks was a little perplexed—and, for the moment, a little annoyed.

"For some reason or other," he said, "you seem disinclined to take me seriously. I cannot understand you. Mary, I am in earnest. You cannot answer me differently. I am fond of you—very fond of you. I want you to be my wife. I am going to want you to be my wife, and I will do my best to make you happy."

"Thank you," Mary said, hardly. "I am sorry, but I must decline your offer—absolutely. Now, let us go; shall we?"

She would have arisen, but he laid his hand firmly upon her shoulder.

"Wait," he said, "in the course of explanation," he said, "is it that you do not care for me, Mary?"

She turned round upon him with color enough in her cheeks and a strange, angry light burning in her eyes.

"You might have spared me that also," she exclaimed. "You are determined to humiliate me, to make me remember that I am a different person in my position. Oh, I say it if I like—when I kissed you, I knew that sooner or later you would make up your mind that it was your duty to ask me to marry you. Only you might have done it by letter. It would have been kinder, Never mind. You have purged your conscience and you have got your answer. Now let us go."

Brooks looked at her for a moment, struggling with himself with a great self-reproach.

"Mary," he said, quietly, "I give you my word that nothing which I have said this afternoon was premeditated on my part. I have never thought of it in connection with what I have said to you to-day."

She looked at him steadfastly, and her eyes were full of things which he could not understand.

"When did you make up your mind—to ask me this?"

He pointed to the little table where they had been sitting.

"Only a few minutes ago. I confess it was an impulse, I think that I realized as we sat there how dear you had grown to me. Mary—how dull life was without you."

"You say these things to me," she exclaimed, "when all the time you have another woman!"

She turned a little. She smiled bitterly as she saw the shadow on his face.

"Who is she?" she asked.

"I mean," she said, deliberately, "that you love Sybil Carvosso. Is it not true?"

His head dropped a little. He had never seen Sybil even so much as this. He was face to face now with all the concentrated emotions which lately had so much disturbed his life. The problem which he had so continually avoided was forced upon him ruthlessly, with almost barbaric simplicity.

"I do not know," he answered, vaguely. "I have never asked myself. I do not wish to ask myself. Why do you speak of her? She is not of our world, the world to which I want to belong. I want to forget her."

"You are a bad man, Mr. Brooks, my friend," Mary said. "To-morrow you will feel differently. If Sybil Carvosso cares for you, what does it matter which world she comes to? She is not the sort of girl to be bound by old-fashioned prejudices. But I do not want you to be at all to-night. You are not yourself. I think that you are a little cruel."

"Cruel?" he repeated.

He never finished.

"Oh, it's only natural," she said, with a note of suppressed passion in her low tone. "It is the accursed egotism of your sex. What right have you to make us suffer so—to ask me to marry you—and sit by my side and wonder whether you care for another woman? Can't you see how humiliating it all is? It is an insult to ask a woman to marry you to cure your loneliness, to make you a home to satisfy your ambition. It is an insult to ask a woman to marry you for any reason except you care for her more than any other woman in the world, and even then to say so tenderly, eagerly. Please let me in a cab at once, and never speak of these things again."

She was half-way across the lawn before he could stop her, her head thrown back, carrying herself proudly and well.

He obeyed her literally. There was nothing else for him to do. His slight effort to follow her in the early repulsed, bidding out her hand and speaking a few careful words of thanks for her evening's entertainment. And when the cab rolled away Brooks felt lonelier than ever.

TO BE CONTINUED.

TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

MANY good bargains are awaiting the Thursday shopper, as the following list will show:

It will pay you to look at the semi-fitting, tailored khaki suits, white trimmed, at $8.75 to $5.90.
The coats are 26 inches long, with velvet collars, buckles and the skirts are the full, high-kilted kind.

The Henry Siegel Co. will offer extraordinary values in women's fine Summer dresses of lustine, lawn and dotted swiss. They are prettily trimmed and formerly sold for $15, but will sell to-morrow for $5.

Charming lingerie princess dresses of white and beautiful shades of pink and blue, will sell at Conrad's to-morrow at $10. They formerly sold for $18 and $20.

You will find some tempting curtain bargains at Osgood's to-morrow. Among which are Irish point curtains of exclusive patterns, in bordered and figured designs, and in white only, for $6.25 a pair. The regular price is $8.

At R. H. White Co.'s to-morrow you can get a $15 black taffeta skirt for $8.75, each.

It is of the newest Fall style, made extra full, with clusters of plaits and panel front, finished around the bottom with a five-inch fold of taffeta and five tucks.

Neat gingham petticoats in pink, blue, gray and white stripes, with full flounce and dust ruffle, are offered at 69 cents in 50 cents at Houghton & Dutton Co.'s.

A four-quart enameled kettle for 15 cents, a bargain which should not be overlooked by the housewife. These will be found in the basement at Jordan Marsh Co.'s to-morrow, and are warranted first quality, reduced from 25 cents for this day only.

Girls' Peter Thompson suits, white, trimmed with colors, in sizes 14, 16 and 18, are marked from $10 and $12 to $4.95 and $6.95 at A. Shuman & Co.'s for to-morrow.

If replenishing your stock of linen, don't miss seeing those beautiful satin damask napkins, measuring 36 by 36, at Shepard, Norwell Company's. They have always sold for $1, but 79 cents is the special price for to-morrow.

Twenty-five-cent all-linen belts, wide, handembroidered and with solid pearl buckles, will sell at Butler's tomorrow for 10 cents each.

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE
Things We Eat

WHAT ARTICLE OF FOOD IS THIS?

ANSWER:

ONE of these puzzle pictures will be published every week in the BOSTON AMERICAN. Twenty dollars in prizes will be given weekly for the best answers.

The $20 in prizes will be divided as follows:
First prize $10
Second prize 5
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Fourth prize 2
Total $20

Cut out the picture each day, write your answer on it, and when you have the complete set of seven mail them to the Puzzle Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 90 Summer street, with your best original solution of what you think the set is to be. Address the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Should two persons be equally good, the prize will be awarded to the one who makes the best suggestion.

The list of prize-winners in last week's contest, together with the final picture in this week's series, will be printed in next MONDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN.

HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL

By the Professor

WASHES HAIR TOO MUCH.

DEAR PROFESSOR:
My son had very good hair at one time, but all of a sudden it began to fall and after each washing it came more and more. After doing what you advised others under the same circumstances to do, I find that it does still, or no good. I now have arrived at the conclusion that I harm his hair by washing it too much. What would you advise me to do with it?

YOU can ruin the best hair in the world by too much washing. It seems to rot the texture and the roots, and then causing it to fall out. I do not know to which treatment you refer, but it cannot be the vaseline and egg, as in giving instructions for that I always caution about too much washing. If you have not done so, write me and let me know how you succeed. The egg shampoo is also the best you can find, but a good castile soap just as well.

HARMLESS ROUGE

DEAR PROFESSOR:
Is it possible to get a rouge that will not injure the skin? I have dark brown hair and my skin is very white without a sign of color in it and in the evening I look positively ghastly. I am very healthy, so that ill health is not the cause. I have tried to use a regular rouge and it makes my face break out, so if you can tell me of something harmless I shall be grateful.
H. B.

SIFT well one-half dram of carmine with two ounces of French chalk and gradually work in one dram of oil of almonds. This will make a rouge that is harmless.

CUTICLE AROUND NAILS

DEAR PROFESSOR:
Will you please tell me of something that will make my hair stay in place where it is parted, as I am used to a pompadour. Also tell me of something that will soften the flesh around my finger nails, as it is hard and sore.

BRUSHING often and well is the best remedy for unruly hair. Use a good tonic and the vaseline mentioned in the article described in this column and you should arrive at the desired result. For the cuticle around the nails, keep them pushed back and do not allow it to grow up on the nails. Then every night take an orange wood stick and push in under and around the loose cuticle a little vaseline, gently manipulating it until all is absorbed. Do this regularly and you will have little trouble.

DARKEN RED HAIR

DEAR PROFESSOR:
Will you please tell me if henna leaves lighter or darkens the hair? I have red hair and would like to darken it.
M. S.

HENNA tea darkens the hair and will be just what you need to darken your red hair, as it gives the red tints.

The Boston American Pattern

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CHAMPION GIRL SWIMMER ENTERS AMERICAN'S TEST

Miss Rose Pitenoff, Twelve Years Old, Winner of Medals, to Try for Cup.

Race Will Be at Paragon Park Saturday Afternoon, Course to Be Half Mile.

Following in example of last Summer, the BOSTON AMERICAN offers a silver challenge cup for the fastest girl swimmer of this season eighteen years old or under.

The cup will be awarded to the winner of a girls' swimming race to be held at Paragon Park, Nantasket, next Saturday afternoon, August 31, at 5 o'clock.

This race for girls for the BOSTON AMERICAN challenge cup will be the feature of a series of water sports which Manager Dodge of Paragon Park has arranged for next Saturday afternoon. A swimming race for Nantasket boys will precede the BOSTON AMERICAN girls' cup race.

Accomodations for the swimmers will be provided at the park by Manager Dodge.

Half Mile in Lagoon.

The swimming course will be a distance of one-half mile in the lagoon at Paragon Park, finishing at the widest part of the lagoon, at the edge of the main platform in front of the Palm Garden.

Miss Rose Pitenoff, the twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Pitenoff of No. 835 Freeport street, Dorchester, who formed a challenge last Saturday to any girl swimmer in the world under eighteen years, is already entered for the BOSTON AMERICAN cup race.

Entries to this race may be sent to the Swimming Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 84 Summer street, Boston, Mass. Entries will close at 12 noon, next Saturday, the day of the race. No entrance fee is required.

Contestants will leave Boston for Nantasket on the 1:20 steamer from Rowe's Wharf next Saturday afternoon. Transportation will be provided for contestants and for one person accompanying every contestant.

Miss Pitenoff was a contestant in the race for the BOSTON AMERICAN'S, 1906, challenge cup for girls last Summer off City Point, South Boston. The cup was won by Miss Mary McDonough of No. 564 East Third street, South Boston. Miss Pitenoff won second prize.

Keen Race Last Year.

Miss Pitenoff gave Miss McDonough a keen race for the cup last season. Miss Pitenoff is an unusually fast and sturdy swimmer. She is an athlete as well as a swimmer.

There has been much talk along the swimming beaches and at the bath houses of who was the champion girl swimmer this year. This offer of a challenge cup by the BOSTON AMERICAN gives the girls a chance now to show their swimming mettle. Miss Pitenoff is entered. If there are others who think they can cheat her, now is their time to get the championship and the cup for 1907.

Little Rose Pitenoff, who has won many trophies for long distance and speed swims, and who will be contestant for cup offered by BOSTON AMERICAN.

CUSICK IN RACE FOR THE SENATE

Former Senator John F. Cusick, who was defeated for re-election in the Eighth Suffolk District last year by "Tom" Leavitt will be a candidate again for the Senate this year for the Democratic nomination. A notice sent out by Mr. Cusick's friends announces that assiduous efforts are being made to secure his consent to make the running again. The "one best bet" in that success will crown their efforts.

"Tom" Leavitt has pulled out of the fight after serving one year, and there are four candidates for the Republican nomination, Alderman Tilton B. Neil, former Alderman Joseph L. Stewart, former Water Commissioner Thomas F. Doherty and former Representative Thomas Vinson. Cusick will be opposed by the Democratic ranks by several candidates, the district, Wards 20 and 21, being regarded as good fighting ground.

FREED OF ONE THEFT, HELD FOR ANOTHER

Roland F. O'Connell, aged twenty-two, living at No. 30 Appleton street, who was arrested, August 1, together with George A. Perry, a chum, for burglary in the South End and discharged, Perry being sentenced to five years in State prison, was bound over to the Grand Jury to-day by Judge Corbett in the Charlestown Police Court. He is charged with breaking and entering the home of John Ammon, No. 19 Tufts street, July 31. He pleaded not guilty to the larceny of a violin.

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CAMBRIDGE PLANS LABOR FIELD DAY

The Cambridge celebration of Labor Day will consist of a field meet at Cambridge Field instead of a parade. The Central Labor Union of that city has arranged for amateur races in the morning, speaking and sports in the afternoon and a band concert in the evening. No admission will be charged. President Patrick D. Daley of the Cambridge Central Labor Union will preside, and Dennis D. Driscoll, secretary-treasurer of the State Branch, A. F. of L., will be the speaker at the afternoon exercises.

OPERATORS ON LONG ISLAND RAILROAD WIN

Telegraphers In Brokers' Offices Expect to Be Called Out In Few Days.

SMALL PREDICTS SUCCESS

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The 200 telegraph operators employed by the Long Island Railroad who recently made a demand on the company for an increase in pay and shorter hours have won their fight and the threatened strike will not take place.

It was announced at the offices of the company in Long Island City to-day that both sides had agreed to make concessions and that the best of feeling prevails.

Late developments indicate it is very likely that the telegraphers to the brokers' offices in the financial districts would be called out within a few days, and the strike will be extended to that branch of the telegraph business, which thus far has not been lotly affected.

A dispatch was received by National President Small of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union from brokers' operators in the South and West which has altered the situation considerably.

The telegram complained that the quotations from New York, Chicago and New Orleans were being handled by non-union operators, were non-union wires, and urged that every broker telegrapher in the country be ordered out.

A meeting has been called for to-day of the chief of operators and the situation will be discussed. President Small said yesterday that some decisive action would surely be taken.

President Small announced that he was thoroughly in touch with the general situation and the companies were weakening. Of the Western Union surplus of $13,000,000, he said that at least $8,000,000 had been already expended in the fight, and that if the strike lasted another two weeks the company will not be able to pay guaranteed dividends on acquired properties.

It is reported that George J. Gould has left Europe for the United States to direct the company's fight.

It was announced after a meeting of the strikers that $1,000,000 of the $2,000,000 fund raised by the strikers would be devoted to bringing about government ownership of telegraph companies.

The Central Labor Council of Cincinnati voted unanimously to devote the entire receipts of Labor Day to the striking telegraphers of Cincinnati. This will add from $2,000 to $3,000 to the strikers' fund.

TELEGRAPHERS WILL WIN FIGHT SAYS GOMPERS

The speech of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in which he said that the striking telegraphers would surely win their fight, has given the men new hope and a rousing welcome awaits the famous labor leader when he takes the platform to-night to address the wiremen.

Mr. Gompers described conditions in the West as compared with those in Boston and declared that he could see nothing but victory for the men.

"It is the first strike that organized labor has had in this country where the union interested had its branches throughout the country," he said. "We have had coal strikes," he continued, "but these have been purely local and not as widespread as this strike of the telegraphers.

"It is a grand chance for organized labor to win, and it will."

Mr. Gompers was before the legislative recess committee on labor yesterday and delivered a sweeping broadside against the issuing of injunctions.

"Nothing," said Gompers, "stirs up hatred and class feeling so much as the present practice of employers in getting injunctions."

Mr. Gompers referred to the injunction against himself.

"It was a great surprise to me," he said, "but I never welcomed anything more gladly.

"The injunction was designed to afford a guarantee when there was no adequate remedy at law, but its present day use is but a perversion of this idea."

Mr. Gompers gave his own conception of a proper use of the injunction: first, that it should not be used to protect property rights only; second, that he who seeks its aid should come into court with clean hands; third, that it should not be used where there is any other remedy; fourth, that it should not be used as a punishment for crime; fifth, that it should not be used to curtail personal rights, and sixth, that it should not be used as a means to set aside a trial by jury.

GREEK SCHOLAR DEAD.

OCEAN PARK, Me., Aug. 28.—Kingsbury Hedden, professor of Greek in Hillsdale College, Michigan, is dead at the cottage where he was spending the summer. He was 67 years of age. Death was due to cancer.

POLICE CHIEF HOLDS $2,000 GYPSY MONEY

Woman Says Husband Took It From Her, but Fails to Prosecute.

COURT DECLARES MAN

DEDHAM, Aug. 27.—Pending a decision as to the ownership of $2,000 which Lira Vlado, a gipsy, claims her husband, Mimov Vlado, stole from her Monday night, Chief of Police William P. Brogan has been appointed custodian of the fund by the judge of the Dedham District Court.

Vlado was in court this morning accused by his wife of assault and battery and larceny of the $2,000, but she did not appear to prosecute, and he was discharged.

Then the judge ruled that Chief Brogan should keep the money until the question of ownership was decided.

The $2,000 is in a bag which is protected by three others, and among it are coins of different nations, some of them 100 and others 200 years old. Much of the money is gold.

The couple belong to a camp of gipsies located near the Boston line on East street.

The woman claims that somewhere between the camp and West Roxbury her husband forcibly took the money from her.

ELECTRICIANS PLAN PICNIC

Plans are completed for the annual picnic and banquet of the members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers to be held at Hough's Neck, Quincy, Monday, September 2. Fully 500 electricians from Eastern and Western Massachusetts will be present, together with hundreds of their friends.

There will be sports consisting of pole climbing, rope throwing, putting the shot, jumping, foot-racing, baseball and boat-racing, for the winners of which handsome prizes will be awarded. The committee in charge consists of Charles W. Hanson, State president, Quincy; M. A. Murphy, Boston; David Duvell, Lynn; Samuel Stewart, Worcester; J. B. Oakhem, Quincy.

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Chicago	66	47	.584
Cleveland	66	49	.574
New York	59	57	.509
Boston	51	65	.440
St. Louis	37	83	.308
Washington	32	85	.294

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at New York.
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BOSTON.	NEW YORK.
Barrett, l.f.	Hoffman, c.f.
Sullivan, c.f.	Keeler, r.f.
Congalton, r.f.	Elberfeld, s.s.
Dygnish, 1b.	Moriarty, 1b.
Ferris, 2b.	Laporte, 3b.
Knight, 3b.	Williams, 2b.
Wagner, s.s.	Conroy, l.f.
Criger, c.	Thomas, c.
Winter, p.	Orth, p.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—The Pilgrims and Yanks will meet in a double-header this afternoon. George Winter and Cy Morgan will likely do the box work for the Hub men, while Al. Orth and Doc. Newton are carded to work for the locals.

After the game the visitors will beat it to the train for Washington, where they have three games scheduled.

On the termination of their series with the Senators the Bostons will return here for three games with the locals, two of the games coming on Labor Day.

The Bostons want badly to take a majority of the games from the Highlanders, as it will help very much in their quest for fifth place, which is at present occupied by Manager Griffith's men.

Jack Chesbro was in his old-time form and the Pilgrims lost the opener to the Highlanders, 5 to 1. He would have scored a shutout but for an error by Elberfeld in the ninth inning, when the Bostons made their only run.

GOOD BOUTS ON LABOR DAY

All Lawrence sports can talk about is the bout on Labor Day between Young Kisky and Young Kenney, the fastest boys in their class in that part of the State. It's going to be a battle for blood, and the Unity Club will be taxed to its capacity when the gong sounds to send the boys on their way.

Billy Bell will stage the show, which is a guarantee to the sports that it will be an attraction on too holiday worth looking over.

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Mike Schreck, Corbett's Choice of All the Heavyweights—By Tad

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NOW MIKE DON'T BE A ROMMY
RUN HUM WHAT ELSE JIM
MIKE AND I HAD A TALK IN CHICAGO AND I PUT HIM HEP TO A FEW THINGS
MIKE SCHRECK. THIS IS THE MAN JIM CORBETT SAYS IS THE CREAM OF THE HEAVY WEIGHTS

SCHRECK IS CORBETT'S CHOICE.

BY TAD.

NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—"You keep your eyes on Mike Schreck," edged Jim Corbett last night as we came sneaking along Fifth avenue in his big 60-h.p. car. "He is the next champion of the world and you can go to sleep on it."

"My brother Tom told me about Schreck three years ago, but I never let him affect Mike lost a decision to O'Brien. He said, 'Jim, you watch this fellow and I think he's a wonder. He lost to O'Brien, but he had Jerk out in two or three times and only stalling and clinching saved him. In a twenty-round fight he would have knocked O'Brien stiffer than a cake of ice.

"I met Schreck a while after that in Chicago and had a talk with him. He's a short, chunky fellow and is as sensible a judge about his fighting. I asked him all about himself, and he was a great fellow. We had a few talks on tricks and things, and I haven't seen him since. He knocked out George Gardner and John Willie and then beat Hart twice, and on dope you know he's better than the rest. Champions don't come up in a week, you know, and especially with a heavyweight, who finds it hard to get fights.

"Oh, I look for him to knock this fellow Kaufman out Thursday night before the limit. Oh, he can hit. He cops his man in close with short ones, but after a while the other fellow begins to weaken and fold up. He's the class of the bill now, and I don't think they run over two, seven with the old-timers like Slavin, Goddard, Sullivan, Sharkey and Choynski. But I don't think they will have such a grand array of big fighting men again for years.

"Johnson is probably the best they have now, but at that I think Schreck can lick him. I would train Mike for that and tell him how to get in close, stick there and just make the big black stay in the corner until he quits. It's the only way to beat him. You can't stand off and batter that fellow, he's too clever.

"He fight again? Lord, no. I'm an actor. I'm rehearsing my own show now for next year. Yes, I like them up and tell them how to do this and that and spill the ginger about. Come up and see me some time. It's my own show. 'The Burglar and the Lady,' and it's the cake.

"Wanna would I pick if I was to fight?" Why, I'd take this fellow Johnson. No one will fight him, and the first fellow who does lick him is in for the greatest boost, mug of the year. I'm the same as was when I was starting. There was Peter Jackson and I was to fight him. I'd never one sidestepped him and even my dad warned me to keep away. I said, 'Dad, I'm er and he's a fighter. There's no differ-ence between us except that I'm a better man.' Well, I fought against his advice and went and stuck one round to a stiff, but that great colored fellow. Of course, it was a great thing for a young fellow like me, and I got away with it. I'd do the same now if I was to fight him, and I'd demand these things. If a colored fellow is a better fighter than I want to see the next best man meet him. Fights are fights, and that's what I want them between the best they can get.

PFEFFER MAY WORK AGAINST REDS' TEAM

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CINCINNATI.
Bridwell, s.s.	Huggins, 2b.
Tenney, 1b.	Kane, l.f.
Brain, 3b.	Mitchell, r.f.
Beaumont, c.f.	Lobert, s.s.
Bates, r.f.	Gaudel, 3b.
Randall, l.f.	McLean, c.
Kitchey, 2b.	Kragey, c.f.
Needham, c.	Mowrey, 2b.
Pfeffer, p.	Suckley, 1b.

Better luck to-day for the Doves against the Reds and they'll get away from the succession of defeats as there are five in a row now and there are three of the series battle with the Reds. The Reds got first blood but on any grounds but the small South End field they would not have turned a victory so easily. Dave Brain's heave into the bleachers on a bounding throw gave the Reds the run which made them win.

The Reds are smarting under the sting of a thrashing administered by the Phillies and have their fighting hooks out for revenge on some team.

With Jake Weimer the reliable southpaw out of the way the road should not be so tough for the Doves but Andy Conkley who is scheduled this afternoon is no chesh and the Bully Ones buy in a winning notice to make good when near the scenes of his former clumsy play.

Pfeffer May Pitch.

Big Jeff Pfeffer will try his arm against the Reds unless "Young Cy" Young assumes that he has found some of his last cunning and can make good.

The two teams are so evenly classed that they make the going interesting from the time they start. The Reds have a scrappy lot and work for every point and are ready to pop a bolter when the decisions don't meet with their approval.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Ten innings in less than two hours was some relief from what we have been getting.

Bandal came to the front with a three-bagger, which netted the Doves the first run. Winn he scored on Hickey's rouse.

There was a little hope raised in Boston's youth, when Bridwell got a safety with two down and Tenney at the bat, but Pfeffer was not there with the stuff and in the old days.

Brain's hit over the left fence was one of the longest. He swatted the first ball pitched and sent it high over the telegraph pole outside the fence.

Beaumont got a triple and had a lot to do in the field, accepting seven chances.

After making some brilliant catches and pickups it was hardly expected that Brain would go wrong in the last minute.

It's a pretty easy run to get when a ball goes over a low fence like that which is in front of the first base bleachers, and should only be good for two bases at the most. The rule is hard on the pitcher in losing a ball throw.

Jack Meekiser of Cornell and Johnny Mack, the Yale trainer, saw the game from the stand.

Sport Sullivan was nearly speared by a screaming line foul of Mitchell's bat, but ducked in time.

Miller Huggins was lively as a cricket for a player who was said to have had a sprained ankle. He stole a couple of bases and could not be stopped.

Pfeffer got only several tight places in the game by some short fielding by the men behind him when the bases were occupied and runs expected.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	83	47	.638
Pittsburg	66	47	.584
New York	65	47	.580
Philadelphia	62	49	.559
Cincinnati	49	67	.422
Brooklyn	49	67	.422
St. Louis	33	84	.282

GAMES TO-DAY.

Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at New York.
Pittsburg at Philadelphia.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Cincinnati 2, Boston 2 (16 innings).
Chicago 7, Brooklyn 2.
New York 6, Philadelphia 5.
Philadelphia 5, Pittsburg 2.

TODAY'S SELECTIONS.

2:20 Class, Pacing—Laura Bellini, Ding Pointer, Romona.
"Roger Williams," Trotting—Highball, Athashan, Marecheal.
2:04 Class Pacing—Argot Boy, Ardelle, Kruger.
2:13 Class Trotting—Thornfield, The Parolee, Wild Bell, With Sonoma Girl withdrawn.

PAST WINNERS OF "ROGER WILLIAMS"

Year	Winner	Best
1901—Dolly Bidwell		2:09½
1902—Dan Patch		2:04¼
1903—Billy Buck		2:08¾
1904—Sweet Marie		2:08½
1905—Senile May		2:07½
1906—No Race.		

By EDWARD E. COGSWELL.

By Long Distance Telephone to the Boston American.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Aug. 28.—There is now no reason for the patrons of the Grand Circuit meeting at Narragansett Park who wish to place a bet down on their favorites to be disappointed in their desire, as not only are the handbooks in full operation, but beginning with last evening arrangements were made whereby auction pool selling was conducted on the races of the day, the business being done in a big but only a short trolley ride from this city.

It is needless to say that all the regulars were early on hand in order to get front seats to witness the opening events, for three years the latter was kept busy disposing of favorites, second choosers and the field, or down through the list of starters, the latter getting any kind of a price they wanted.

Without a doubt there will be twice the number of handbooks at the track to-day, as the management have given the privilege to a responsible firm of bookmakers in this city to handle.

"Roger Williams" Day.

This is "Roger Williams" Day at the park, it being the sixth renewal of the trotting sake that in the past some of the most noted horses in the country have contested for the honors, and in 1902 the world's fastest trotting record was made, the average time of the race being in 2:01¾.

There is considerable doubt about Sonoma Girl being among the starters to-day. While she was not declared out last evening, yet it is known if McHenry does not like her when he warms her up she will be withdrawn from the event.

Knowing all that would be required by a case of this kind is to show the judges that the mare is unfit and they will consent to her remaining out, there was no necessity of withdrawing her last evening, and, too, the management are in hopes that she will race.

Over all the fleet stable matters are different, as it was stated positively that Highball was a certain starter. Geers makes no bones in saying that he believes the gelding will give a good account of himself, and coming from the "Silent Man" that means a whole lot.

The Boston mare, Laura Bellini, is counted the best in the 2:20 pace in fact she should have little bother in annexing the major end of the purse.

Kruger a New Factor.

The 2:04 pace is a puzzle. Argot Boy defeated Ardelle at Readville for the second time the latter was beaten by a head, but the question is whether he can repeat the dose. However, there is a new factor in the field that cannot be overlooked, it is the Boston gelding Kruger, that last week gained a record of 2:04¾ and headed the procession of a corking good race. It is no secret that the followers of the stable have not let all the persimmons out when the last result is announced.

Thornfield, The Parolee and Wild Bell appear the best in the 2:13 trot, but it is like tossing a penny between them.

GRAND CIRCUIT BRIEFS

Angus Pointer has the others in the fast pacing class skinned to a finale. The way that he spread-eagled the field in the "Park Brew" demonstrated he is just now the boss of all sidewheelers.

In the opening heat it looked like Audubon Boy had signed articles to win the way he carried Angus Pointer for seven furlongs, but there was really nothing to it, as Sundstrom was easy all the time behind the gelding, and the break of Audubon Boy settled the fact. It will take another race or two before the latter is in good shape if he keeps sound.

Lotta's victory was popular with the spectators, and the little lady the mare was named after watched the race from a big auto in the infield.

Tompas Pugh was a slight favorite for the 2:17 trot, but could not land the goods, the laurels going to the second choice, Margaret O., in a couple of the closest finishes imaginable.

The grass outside here in the infield created some excitement till the volunteer fire department, assisted by the entire force of the park, put the flames out.

Among the visitors was noted C. K. G. Billings. It is possible that some horses he will see his return to the sport with a string of matinee trotters and pacers.

The officials at the meeting are starting Judge, Robert Newton; paddling judge, George Hayt; and associate Judge, Frank Pilliard. The starter is Col. Jack Ryan, Henry A. Kirby and Leander A. Peck.

Uncle Jock Bowen is eighty years old, and says that he could drive exactly as he did now as one half his life. He laughs at the present day drivers having to carry a whip to rate their horses, even in workouts, as never in his life was he obliged to use it, no matter how fast he was riding. With any horse he trained he could tell to a half-second where he had worked a mile.

There has been something that this year there are no excursion rates to the meeting, as has been the case in other years.

Boreas, 2:09¼, that is a starter to-day in the Roger Williams stake, was once used by a butchers' wagon in New Jersey and sold for only $165.

George Valentine Highball in the forenoon and liked him better than any time since leaving Libertyville. He came out of the Massachusetts stake vastly improved.

Bonna Gatsomis says that it is a mistake for his betting $300 with "Long Shot" Doc that Audubon Boy would win the first heat of the free-for-all at Readville. George Theobald bet Worthington, who owns the chestnut stallion winning the heat, and that may have started the story it was Gatsomis.

Tom Blanchard has leased a hotel in Palmer, Mass., and intends starting in business early in the Fall.

Ben Johnson, from Lexington, Ky., was one of the visitors. He is making the rounds of the tracks in the market these days. He says if there is no betting to-day he will skip to Empire City, where he went last week in place of Readville.

COMPLETE LIST OF STARTERS IN TO-DAY'S PROVIDENCE RACES

2:20 Class, Pacing. Purse $1,000.

MARGARET B., b. m., John Alexander, Aurora, Ill. (Emery).
ROMONA, b. m., J. H. O'Neil, Fall River. (O'Neil).
LAURA BELLINI, b. m., R. B. Williams, Boston. (L. McDonald).
ONADINGA, b. h., Dan Davis' Columbia, S. C. (Davis).
BELLE GOLD, ch. m., M. F. Maher, Boston. (Maher).
HAND ANNIE, br. m., James Carpenter, Rockville, (Carpenter).
*MOY, b. m., Morris Bros., Pony, Mont. (Hayes).
DING POINTER, b. m., Charles L. DeRyder, Pleasanton, Cal. (DeRyder).

"Roger Williams." 2:12 Class, Trotting. Purse $5,000.

ATHASHAM, b. m., Charles L. DeRyder, Pleasanton, Cal. (DeRyder).
BERICO, ch. g., Elwood Smith, Wilkesbarre, Pa. (Smith).
CLATT LATTS, ch. m., Oakhurst Farm, Whitinsville, Mass. (Lasell).
HIGHBALL, b. g., E. F. Geers, Memphis, Tenn. (Geers).
*SILIKO, b. h., W. H. McCarthy, Terre Haute. (McCarthy).
*SWINGER, ch. m., Kate Chalfers, Quincy, Mass. (McHenry).
WILKES HEART, b. g., F. Mayhenn, Newark, N. J., (Keteltc).
MARECHEAL, b. h., Christian Hill Stables, Manchester, N. H. (Cox).

2:13 Class, Trotting. Purse $1,000.

PHALLA, b. m., Capitol City Stable, Concord, N. H. (Gutsmbl).
ARDELLE, b. m., E. F. Geers, Memphis, Tenn., (Geers).
**ARGOT BOY, b. g., Christian Hill Stables, Manchester, N. H. (Cox).
**RUDY KIP, br. h., Thomas W. Murphy, Glen Cove, L. I. (Murphy).
KRUGER, ch. g., R. B. Williams, Boston. (McDonald).

2:04 Class, Pacing. Purse $1,000.

CHIMES BELL, b. m., Henry Titer, Readville. (Titer).
LUCRETIA, br. m., E. F. Geers, Memphis, Tenn. (Geers).
ZAZA, ch. m., C. S. Payne, Philadelphia. (Payne).
BILLY B., ch. g., W. H. McCarthy, Terre Haute. (McCarthy).
*ANN HERBERT, bl. m., East View Farm, New York. (Brady).
PAUL KRUGER, b. g., Christian Hill Stables, Manchester, N. H. (Cox).
RUSSY BOY, b. g., Pleasant Valley Farm, Providence. (Clark).
THORNFIELD, br. h., Edward Benson, Lexington, Ky. (Benson).
KASSONA, b. m., Allen Farm, Pittsfield. (Shedeker).
THE PAROLEE, b. m., David Dane, Cleveland. (DeDaitly).
RICHIE BARON, br. g., Morris Bros., Pony, Mont. (Hayes).
WILD BELL, br. g., Charles DeRyder, Pleasanton, Cal. (DeRyder).
*Doubtful starters. **Year lingers.

CLOTHIER NOT TO DEFEND TITLE

NEWPORT, Aug. 28.—If William A. Larned, the former champion, wins to-day's final in the All-Comers' National Lawn Tennis Tournament he will gain permanent possession of the championship cup, as he already has won the title twice. Tom Bundy, who will meet Robert Leroy, of New York, and as William J. Clothier, of Philadelphia, the present champion, has announced that he will not defend his title, will go to the winner of to-day's match by default.

GEORGE BROWN TO BE REFEREE

Peter Golden, manager of the six-day go-as-you-please pedestrian contest at Wonderland, has just received several entries of crack runners and in a few days will be ready to announce a big list of ten starters. The contest will start next Monday. George V. Brown of the B. A. A., will be starter and referee, and all of the scores and officials of all kinds will be men born of this section that have interest in this revival of a once very popular pastime heretofore so rapidly growing. The Wonderland track is only eight laps to the mile.

M'LEAN WILL RACE ABROAD

Hugh MacLean, champion motor paced rider of America, sails next Tuesday from New York for France to engage in six races in that country. With him will go Elmer Collins, of Lynn, who has not signed a contract but may engage in some races. MacLean starts in his first race four days after he lands but will be in fine shape after his riding here this season.

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Worcester—Lynn, 6; Worcester, 0 (8 innings).
At New Bedford—Lowell, 5; New Bedford, 0.
At Haverhill—Brockton, 4; Haverhill, 2.
At Lawrence—Fall River, 13; Lawrence, 4.

LANGFORD IS VICTOR OVER LARRY TEMPLE

Those colored huskies, Ho Ho Sam Langford and Larry Temple, of New York, furnished the star bout at the Winter Wonderland, Jim Flynn and Billy Papke, the former Kansas City boy, and Kid Abel, of Chelsea, had a slight advantage on Young Cavill at the end of six rounds, and Eddie Corris, of England, went along at an even gait with Hopper Dennis, of Charlestown, for six rounds.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING

	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Toronto	91	51	.641
Buffalo	82	61	.590
Providence	77	61	.558
Jersey City	74	67	.525
Baltimore	69	70	.497
Rochester	49	88	.418
Montreal	45	92	.392

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

Worcester	69	34	.670
Brockton	57	43	.570
Lowell	54	46	.540
Haverhill	51	49	.510
Fall River	50	50	.485
Lowell	45	56	.446
New Bedford	44	57	.436
Lawrence	35	65	.350

CONN. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Waterbury—Waterbury, 6; Bridgeport, 5 (11 innings).
At Norwich—Norwich, 4; Bridgeport, 3 (13 innings).
At New London—New London, 5; New Haven, 1 (11 innings).
At Holyoke—Hartford, 9; Holyoke, 2.

RAIN HOLDS UP BIG BIKE RACE

Just as Hugo McLean, Collins and Moran were getting underway for their thirty-mile motor paced race last night at the Revere track the rain came down and the contestants decided to postpone the event till Saturday night, and the fans who retained their checks will be on hand to see the three next men in the country ride.

It will be the final race of the season between individual riders and will settle once for all the question of championship of America, as McLean is the recognized leader.

The postponement will be an aid to Moran, as he is suffering from a bad cold, but showed lots of speed in his workouts.

Several bike events will be put on the card for the final Saturday races.

CONNOLLY TO FIGHT HANEY

Eded Haney, the tough Philadelphia middleweight and Hartley Connolly of Bidleford and champion of Maine will meet in a fifteen round bout at Manchester, N. H., on Labor Day.

Haney has beaten Jack Williams, Tony Caponi and other sluggers by his ears and it will be a case of two of the fiercest fighters in the ring clashing.

CHELSEA CLUB IS NOT GUILTY

In the Chelsea Police Court, where they were tried on the charge of unlawfully promoting a boxing exhibition at Chelsea on the night of July 30, fourteen members of the Winnisimmet Club were found not guilty, Judge Stearns ruling that the meeting at which the State police officer had purchased an admission ticket, was not a public one and that said ticket was only procured through the club's secretary.

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Sadie Knowlton was born in the town of Perry, Washington county, Maine, and followed her older brothers and sisters to Boston a few years ago, took up bicycling as a profession and after doing century runs and longer runs finally established a fixed reputation and broke a thousand-mile record for women cyclists between Boston and Providence. She said:

First Ride Down Chutes.

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"It seemed for me to ride long distances and with every attempt I did so much better that I attracted attention, and at last established the thousand-mile record. This opened the way to all sorts of business propositions, one of which soon accepted.

"It was to ride down the Chutes at Crescent Park, Rhode Island. I looked it over and said to myself 'anybody could keep their wheel straight down that dip with nothing but water to fall in' and so I tried.

"For the most of two seasons I rode down the Chutes at Crescent Park and then accepted other propositions. In the meantime I worked out the 'dip,' but kept it close to the ground and it wasn't dangerous enough.

"Shorty" Always on Deck.

"This year I told Manager Judge I wanted to do a thriller. He put the structure. Then he was afraid it would kill me. Meanwhile I married. I almost had to deceive her as to the danger in it.

"I keep thinking I will hurry to swim and in fact I do paddle a little at each performance, but seem to learn to kick out. Besides, 'Shorty' is always on deck. Manager Judge is conscientious about saving me each time but I suppose half give me a chance to save myself.

All this week speedy the high and 'low' Thomas Apdale electrify audiences, and there are additional features from the Bostock show placed in the arena, three in number, the new act of the Ruby Elephant unrivalled for its kind, the boxing kangaroo and the performing Teddy bears. Twice a day they appear in the arena, in all making a setting for a scene of marvelous worth.

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DEATH NOTICES.

BERG—In North Acton, Aug. 26, Ola Eva Berg of Pneumonia, aged 1 year, 11 months.
Funeral from late residence, 25 Oak-land st., Medford, Mass., Thursday, Aug. 29, at 2 p. m.

CARLIN—In this city, Aug. 26, John Carlin, 67 y.
Funeral from his late residence, 1 Butterick pl., Wednesday, Aug. 28, at 8:30 a. m., thence at St. Mary's Church, Endicott st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CURRAN—In South Boston, Aug. 26, Ellen, widow of Patrick H. Curran, 58, 12 West Fifth st. Funeral from her late residence, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8:15, thence at St. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. No flowers by request.

DAVIS—In Dorchester, Mass., Aug. 26, suddenly, Edward R. Davis, 58 yrs.
Funeral from his late home, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

DEAN—At Dorchester, Aug. 27, Jessie Louise, child of John R. and Marguerite A. Egan, 5 mos.
Funeral from the residence of her parents, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

FAIRLY—In Everett, Mass., Aug. 27, William James Fairly, 80 yrs.
Funeral from his late residence, Union st., Everett, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 2 p. m. Services at St. John's Church, Everett, at 2:45 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

FRANKEL—In this city, Aug. 26, Dr. Charles L. Frankel.
Funeral notice later.

FREESE—In Hyde Park, Aug. 27, William H. Freese.
Funeral from his late residence, Union st., East Walpole, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 2 o'clock.

GALVIN—In Braintree, Aug. 27, Gladys Mary, 20 mos.
Funeral from the residence of his father, Mr. Martin Galvin, Braintree, Thursday, Friday, Aug. 29. Funeral notice later.

McCARTHY—In this city, Aug. 27, Catherine, beloved widow of Patrick McCarthy.
Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Ellen, on Lexington st., Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8:30. High mass at St. Catherine's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

O'BRIEN—At City Hospital, Aug. 26, John H. O'Brien, aged 30 years, late of 1 Cedar st., Boston, and Chevalier Division of Winthrop, Mass.
Funeral from the residence of his brother, Joseph W. O'Brien, 19 Alden st., Charlestown, Mass. Funeral notice later.

PURCELL—In Cambridge, Aug. 27, Mary Purcell (nee Drumgoe), beloved wife of Joseph Purcell.
Funeral from late home, 204 Harvard st., Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Mary's Church, Cambridgeport, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Malden.

REGAN—In Dorchester, Aug. 27, John Francis, beloved child of Patrick J. and Ellen Regan, one month and 5 days old.
Funeral from parents' residence, 20 Chapman st., Wednesday, Aug. 28, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

ROBY—In West Roxbury, Aug. 27, Mrs. O. B. Roby.
Funeral Thursday, at 2 p. m. Train leaves Providence station at 12:30 p. m. Services please keep.

SHANNON—In East Cambridge, Aug. 26, Mary, wife of Patrick Shannon.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the family residence, 90 Otis st., Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8 a. m., and from St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock.

YOUNG—In East Boston, Aug. 26, Edward J., beloved son of Annie and the late Edward Young, aged 2 years, 11 months.
Funeral from late residence, 60 Trenton st., East Boston, Thursday, Aug. 29, at 8:30. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Mary's church, Hanover st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

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This World Is Indeed a Kaleidoscope. What Next?

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You have been reading, perhaps, descriptions of interesting American celebrations in honor of a Swedish Prince at Worcester, Boston and elsewhere.

The Swedish Prince himself says that he has never had such a fuss made about him anywhere on earth—and no wonder.

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He goes to another house and finds that, as he eats his dinner, he is helping one lady to eclipse another who tried to ruin her husband in a railroad deal. Wherever he goes he hears lamentations of hard times, and sees people spending dollars as though they were pennies.

He is surprised, bewildered—and he may well be.

What a curious little speck in the human kaleidoscope is this Prince in his present frame!

Look back over part of the recent history of human beings.

A little more than a hundred years ago in France they were having a great revolution. There were to be no more rulers, no more kings, no more rich men, and no more poor men at all.

Everybody was to be happy—free. It was very exciting and interesting.

Then came the usual reaction, and Napoleon. After him came a king, and later on another emperor. Then a blood-and-iron gentleman from Pomerania ended the second Napoleon and allowed France—a land that knows what it wants—to go back to real republicanism.

In the midst of these shiftings and changes there figured for a while a keen, ambitious and brave Frenchman named Bernadotte. He was the son of a little French lawyer, and was born not many years before the revolution broke out.

It was not the revolution but the empire and the extraordinary character of Napoleon, with his motto, "All careers open to talent," that gave Bernadotte his chance.

Fighting and planning, organizing armies admirably, Bernadotte finally landed upon the throne of Sweden and Norway.

He saw some of his old friends shot. He saw Napoleon conquered and imprisoned. He turned the force of his own armies against Napoleon; he even dreamed of succeeding Napoleon as dominator of the world.

By and by he, in his turn, died, and his family went on sitting upon the throne of Sweden.

When Bernadotte, son of the old French lawyer, was a very little boy, just big enough to get out of the way and take off his little cap when a French nobleman passed by, people over here in America were starting in to set the world an example. Franklin, Washington, Jefferson, Patrick Henry and all the others were solemnly telling one another and the whole world that this land must always be **A GENUINE REPUBLIC, A LAND OF EQUALITY, SIMPLICITY, ETC., ETC.**

The splendid example of the United States sending back Lafayette to stir up the Frenchmen, sending to Europe as ambassadors Franklin and Jefferson, who had taken seriously the teachings of Rousseau and the French encyclopaedists, inspired the imagination of the French.

The revolution came; a handful of trained men dominated and conquered all the allied trained soldiers of Europe.

Then one thin Corsican lad dominated France **AND** all of Europe. Bernadotte got his chance. He was lifted from the sidewalk, where he pulled off his cap every few minutes, to a throne where all others pulled off their caps before him. He dreamed fancy dreams, died, and left his son Oscar, who sits on the throne now.

This son—quiet, big, with great whiskers and little ambition (as the sons of very active men often are)—asks for peace, regular meals and a happy life. He has no desire to be Napoleon. If the people will pay him his salary he will do his work quietly and as they direct.

In Newport, among the orchids, eating first with this rich woman and then with that, having a very fine time, with no idea of the burning jealousies that he is stirring up, a quiet Swedish "Prince" is enjoying himself immensely.

This Swedish Prince is the grandson of King Oscar, who sits on the throne; he is the great-grandson of the little boy, son of the humble lawyer who pulled off his cap to everybody **RICH** in France.

If this Swedish Prince enjoys thinking or making comparisons, he ought to have some interesting and amusing moments when he goes to bed at night and pulls up over his chest one of those republican American sheets, with lace on the edges and a crest half as big as a buckwheat cake embroidered in one corner.

He must say to himself: "Am I the grandson of a king, the great-grandson of a fighting general, the great-great-grandson of a little French lawyer? Am I the guest of humble, sane, simple, American republicans? Or is this all a peculiar dream, a nightmare of the human race, with its sudden ups and downs and violent changes that happen only in dreams?"

Only in a Story

By James J. Montague

OUT yonder on the ocean, where the whitecaps flash and foam,
My ship, built down with treasure, comes sailing safely home.
And when her captain fetches port, and puts it all ashore,
I'll never need to trouble about working any more.
But, ah! She's not a real ship, that vessel full of gold—
She's only in a story that a Little Fellow told.

IN some near-by to-morrow, ere my hair has all turned gray,
I'll meet a kindly fairy who abides across the way;
She'll touch me on the forehead with her slender wand, and then
I'll straightway drop my years away and be a boy again.
I'd love to meet that fairy, for it's tedious to grow old.
But she's only in a story that a Little Fellow told.

JUST 'round the nearest corner in the County of Surprise,
Where no one ever cheats or steals, and no one ever lies,
Where malice isn't thought of, and envy is unknown,
And each one thinks the happiest life is just his very own,
Alas! That realm of wonder I never may behold,
For it's only in a story that a Little Fellow told.

BELINDA'S BEAUS

BY T. E. POWERS

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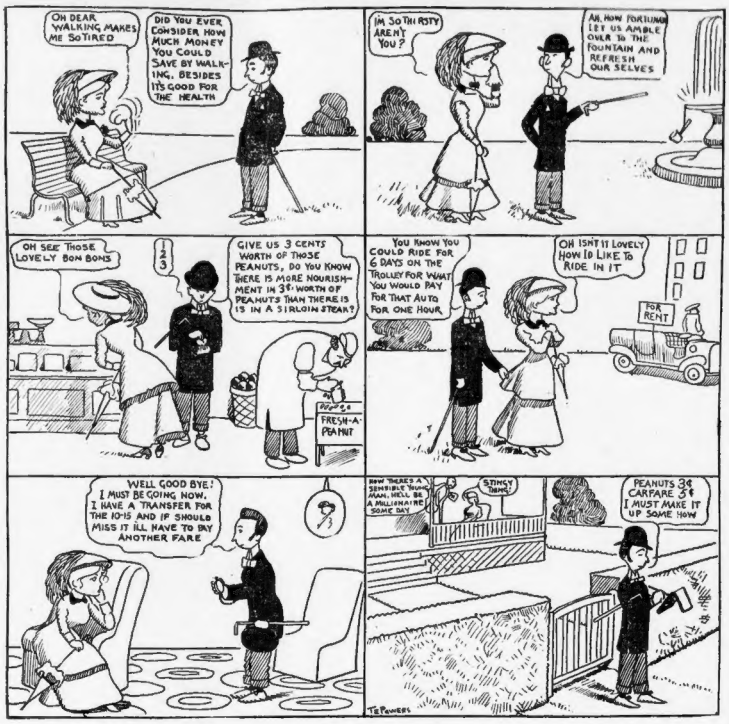
AND STILL ANOTHER—TIGHTWAD CHARLIE


OH DEAR, WALKING MAKES ME SO TIRED
DID YOU EVER CONSIDER HOW MUCH MONEY YOU COULD SAVE BY WALKING, BESIDES IT'S GOOD FOR THE HEALTH
IM SO THIRSTY ARENT YOU?
AH, HOW FORTUNATE LET US AMBLE OVER TO THE FOUNTAIN AND REFRESH OUR SELVES
OH SEE THOSE LOVELY BON BONS
GIVE US 3 CENTS WORTH OF THOSE PEANUTS, DO YOU KNOW THERE IS MORE NOURISHMENT IN 3¢ WORTH OF PEANUTS THAN THERE IS IN A SIRLOIN STEAK?
FRESH-A-PEANUT
YOU KNOW YOU COULD RIDE FOR 6 DAYS ON THE TROLLEY FOR WHAT YOU WOULD PAY FOR THAT AUTO FOR ONE HOUR
OH ISNT IT LOVELY HOW I'D LIKE TO RIDE IN IT
FOR RENT
WELL GOOD BYE! I MUST BE GOING NOW, I HAVE A TRANSFER FOR THE 10:15 AND IF SHOULD MISS IT I'LL HAVE TO PAY ANOTHER FARE
NOW THERE'S A SENSIBLE YOUNG MAN, HE'LL BE A MILLIONAIRE SOME DAY
STINGY JAMES
PEANUTS 3¢ CAMPARE I MUST MAKE IT UP SOME HOW
T.E. POWERS

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

THEY DO IT ON $9.50 PER

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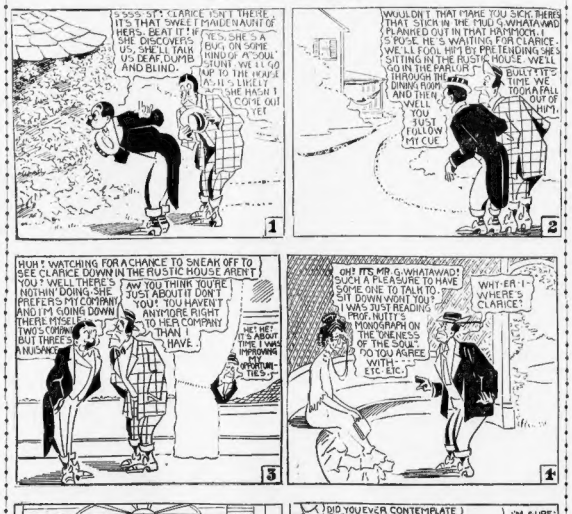
SSSS ST. CLARICE ISN'T THERE IT'S THAT SWEET MAIDEN AUNT OF HERS, BEAT IT IF SHE DISCOVERS US, SHE'LL TALK US DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND.
YES, SHE'S A BIT ON SOME KIND OF A SOUL STUNT WE'LL GO UP TO THE HOUSE AS IT'S LIKELY SHE HASN'T LEFT A CENT OF COME OUT YET
WOULDN'T THAT MAKE YOU SICK THERE'S THAT SLICK IN THE MUD G. WHATAWAD PLANNED OUT IN THAT HAMMOCK I SUPPOSE HE'S WAITING FOR CLARICE. WE'LL FOOL HIM BY PRETENDING SHE'S WAITING IN THE RUSTIC HOUSE. WELL GO IN THE PARLOR THROUGH THE DINING ROOM AND THEN WELL SURPRISE YOU JUST WATCH NOW FOR MY CUE
BULLY! IT'S TIME WE TOOK A FALL OUT OF HIM.
HUH? WATCHING FOR A CHANCE TO SNEAK OFF TO SEE CLARICE DOWN IN THE RUSTIC HOUSE AREN'T YOU? WELL THERE'S NOTHIN' DOING. SHE PREFERS MY COMPANY AND I'M GOING DOWN THERE MYSELF. TWO'S COMPANY BUT THREE'S A NUISANCE
I AM YOU THINK YOU'RE JUST ABOUT IT, DON'T YOU? YOU HAVEN'T ANYTHORE RIGHT TO HER COMPANY THAN I HAVE.
HE! HE! IT'S ABOUT TIME I WAS IMPROVING OPPORTUNITIES.
OH ITS MR. G. WHATAWAD! SUCH A PLEASURE TO HAVE SOME ONE TO TALK TO. SIT DOWN RIGHT YOU WITH ETC. ETC.
WHY-ER-I-WHERE'S CLARICE?
GOOD MORNING MISS CLARICE. LET'S TAKE A STROLL. YOU HAVEN'T SHOWN US YOUR BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS YET.
IT'S PRETTY DOWN BY THE RUSTIC HOUSE. LET'S GO THAT WAY
DID YOU EVER CONTEMPLATE THE RELATION BETWEEN OUR ASTRAL BODIES AND—ETC.
I'LL BE GLAD TO. WHAT IT'S MR. G. WHATAWAD AND AUNTIE HE'S BECKONING FOR US TO COME IN.
I'M SURE ENJOYING MYSELF.
KRAKOOM

THEY GET THE BEST OF G. WHATAWAD

The Man Who Didn't Care About Fighting

By Kenneth Harris

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"I DIDN'T want to get mixed up in any street fight," said the ticket seller. "I just walked away and left him."

"It isn't always safe to turn your back on a man when he gets as mad as that," commented the lean, smooth-by shaven personage with the solemn bass voice. "In such a case it is generally advisable to break away. Of course, there is danger of backing into a lamp-post or knocking over a newsstand, but that is not necessarily an ignominious consequence. I think that you undoubtedly did the dignified thing. You didn't condescend to reply to his tirade of low abuse, I hope."

"I didn't say anything," said the ticket seller rather sullenly. "I tell you I just walked away and left him."

"And I repeat that you were quite right," said the smoothly shaven one approvingly. "It was the proper and discreet thing to do. When a man gets purple in the face and his eyes are bloodshot with pink and his neck swells till it pushes out over the edge of his collar, he is not usually in a condition to listen to reason or argument; it only irritates him.

"He was no doubt, entirely wrong in his expressed estimate of your character and personal appearance, and ungentlemanly, even coarse, in his language. He may have betrayed a deficiency of intellect, but why tell him so? You couldn't have convinced him."

"That's the way I looked at it," said the ticket seller, with an uncomfortable attempt at a smile.

"Self-Control"

"I'M mighty glad that you exercised your self-control in the manner you did, Johnny," said the lean gentleman. "Now, suppose, when he started in to roast you you had hauled off and biffed him a hot one on the point of the jaw. Some people would not have blamed you. Still, you might have stunned him with the force of the blow and have been for some minutes under the awful impression that you had killed a fellow creature in your mad anger.

"You would probably have been arrested and, in your excitement, you might have resisted arrest, in which event the policeman might have used his club on you and obliged you to appear in court the next morning decorated with a blood-stained bandage and sticking plaster. I, myself, would probably have been called upon to furnish bail for you."

"You needn't worry about that," said the ticket seller. "When I want bail I won't call on you for it, you can bet your life."

"Of course I'd rather not," said the smoothly shaven personage. "Still I'd hate to have you languishing in a loathsome dungeon, and I'd more or less feel it my duty. It's possible that you might not have been admitted to bail."

"You might, in knocking the man down, have caused his head to strike against the pavement and fracture his skull. In that event, I don't think they'd risk you on bail. No; when you think of all that you can see that you did the prudent thing in refraining from any violence.

"You know you're a pretty muscular boy, Johnny, and I think I have heard reports of your pugilistic skill—glowing reports. You've often told me about it, haven't you? Of course, you have a temper that is not easily disturbed, and——"

"I wish you'd dry up," said the ticket seller, with an angry gleam in his eye.

"I was merely going to observe that ordinarily you would probably be able to gauge exactly the punishment due to the fellow's insolence and inflict so much and no more. But in the excitement of your extreme provocation (I honestly think it was extreme, if he called you half the things they say he did), you might have hit him harder than you really intended. Of course, I don't just exactly know how hard you can hit."

Warming Up

"YOU'LL find out pretty soon, if you keep on," said the ticket seller.

"I should judge you're a hard hitter," continued the lean gentleman calmly. "I may be mistaken about it, of course. There may be more padding in your coat than one would think. There is the possibility, too, that the intemperate individual is something of a scrapper himself.

"He might have pushed your countenance through to the roots of your back hair with the suddenness he threatened.

"He might have started an independent street-cleaning movement with you in the role of the flaccid mop; also, he might have booted you up and down the length of the Great White Way if you opened your head to him. Don't suppose you ever contemplated that possibility, Johnny. Still, he might have done it, mightn't he?"

"Not that big stiff, nor anybody like him," growled the ticket seller.

"'Tis excellent to have a giant's strength," quoted the smoothly shaven personage with the solemn bass voice, "yet would, indeed, 'twere not, and yet 'the better part of valor is discretion; in the which better part you had ever—well, we can say unpleasantness, Johnny? Yes, you certainly did right to walk away and leave him. A trifle foolhardy, perhaps, to walk away instead of backing, as I remarked. But it was well to leave him."

"You cheap hams make me weary," said the ticket seller. But he didn't raise his voice, and the smoothly shaven gentleman, who was walking through the vestibule flourishing his slender rattan cane, may not have heard him. KENNETH HARRIS.

A Maiden's Love

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

IN CHARLES H. BROWN'S MUSICAL SATIRE, "THE BEAUTY TRUST."

DH, Love is a maiden's first dream
As she drifts out of Little-Girl Bay
To Womanhood's Islands, that seem
So far on Life's Ocean away.
She thinks not of dangers in store,
She knows not of trouble and care,
She dreams but of love on the shore,
And wonders what men he will wear.

OH, Love is a maiden's first right,
And seek not that right to oppose;
For why is she fair to the sight,
And why is her mouth like the rose?
Oh, argue not vainly with fate;
The answer can only be this:
Her beauty was meant for her mate,
Her lips were thus fashioned to kiss.

REFRAIN.

OLD love, bold love, worse than vain your plea,
Cold love is sold love, but not by maids like me.
Love's bliss is youth's kiss, dotards cannot give,
Youth's love is truth's love, and for love I live!

Dinkelspiel's Eppy Grams

By George V. Hobart

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DEM vorld likes to side mit der chent dot has der reity cash.

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Dare nefer vas a man so lazy dot he vould not vork a friend.

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Ven a man is anxious to keep your secret keep him anxious.

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Men haf offercame mountains, but no man can overcame a cinch.

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Truth is stranger dan Fiction, but Fiction has der happiest finish.

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A tigglish situation nefer gets a big laugh from der parties concerned, yet.

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Der girl dot hesitates is lost in thought should der vedding dress.

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Some peoples fish for compliments hard enough to catch a sea serpents.

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Necessity is der mollier dot puts de patches on der trousers of Circumstances.

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Der automobubbils goes fast, but sooner or later der ambulance catches it up.

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Luff is not blind, and if you doan'd believe me look at der neckties some vimmen buy dere husbands, yet.

D. DINKELSPIEL,
per George V. Hobart.

The World Is a Comedy to Those That Think, a Tragedy to Those Who Feel.

HORACE WALPOLE.